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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM GLASGOW, PENANG, AND

" WINGSANG"

of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods.

baving arrived from the above ports, Consigner



Further Calls not to exceed \$20 per Share, with the exception of Opinm, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Under-November 26, Cirr of Rio de Janeiro, BANK OF ENGLAND. Policies at ourrent rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, nor to be made at less than three months Situate in First Street and Second Street. Union Bank of London, Limited. American steamer, 3,548, R. R. Searle, Victoria, in the Golony of Hongkong. Comprising. signed whence and/or from the wherves or boats San Francisco 24th October, and Yoko-BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON. China, and Australia. delivery may be obtained. RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED hama-19th November, Mails and Ge-All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND (being FIRE DEPARTMENT. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3rd l'homas Scott, Esq., (Messes, Guthris & Co., ON DEPOSITS: December will be subject to rent. neral.-P. M. S. S. Co. Policies issued for long or short periods at a part of a Piece or Parcel of Ground regis-At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cont. per Annum Singaporo), Chairman, tered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT November 26, NAM-VIAN, French str., 435 No Fire Insurance has been effected. 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum. TH. SORST. Esq., (Messry, Pottfarcken, Richmen No. 630) abutting on the North side thereof Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Lerede, Haiphong 23rd November, Ge-LIFE DEPARTMENT. At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Current Accounts kept on Terms which may & Co., Singapore.) on First Street and measuring thereon 25 Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., noral.—A. R. MARTY. feet 9 inches, on the South side thereof on G. ADDIS. Esq., (Manager, Chartered Mercantile General Managers. at reduced rates. November 26, Pening, British steamer, 954, be learnt on application. Bank of India. London and China, Singa Second Street and measuring thereon 25 HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 26th November, 1888. J. MELVILLE MATSON, Heuermann, Shanghai 23rd November. feet 9 inches on the East side thereof on 26th July, 1872. Inland Lat No. 631, and measuring thereon J. Luryana, Esq., (Messrs. Bohn, Meyer & Co., General.—Siemssen & Co. Manager. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. Hongkong, 1st June, 1882. 105 feet, and on the West side thereof on other Portion of Inland Lot No. 630, and November 26, Volga, French steamer, 1,003 THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY MAX BEHR, Esq., (Messrs. Katz Bros., Sin-BRITISH SHIP "OSAKA" FROM-Berwis, Haiphong 23rd November, Ge-LONDON. TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING measuring thereon 105 feet, which said neral.-Messageries Maritimes. Pices or Parcel of Ground is registered in C. C. N. GLASS, Esq., (Messrs, McAlister, Co., THE Undersigned baving been appointed CORPORATION. November 26, BILLY SIMPSON, British bark, THIS Vessel has arrived and is now ready to Agents for the above Company, are Singapore.) the Land Office as SECTION A of IN-432, Brown, Bangkok 27th Oct., Gene-G. EDGAR, Esq., (Mesers. Edgar & Co., Sin PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$5,000,000. discharge her Cargo. prepared to GRANT POLICES on MARINE LAND LOT No. 630, with the messuages INSTALMENT received \ 926.765.62. ral.—Chinese. Consigues are requested to send in their Bills RISKS to all parts of the World, at current or tenements thereon erocted, held for the of Lading for countersignature, by the Underon NEW SHARES tesidne of the term of 990 years. Syed Mahoned Alsagorf, Esq., Singapore.) signed, and to take prompt delivery of their 35,926,765.62. ONG KEW Ho, Esq., (Messra Kew Ho & Co., ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. CLEARANCES. The Property will be affered for sale in 4 RESERVED FUND ... \$2.500,000. 5th November, 1883. Lots as follows : AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. QUAH BENG HONG. Esq., (Mossra Bun Hin Cargo impeding the vessel's discharge will be INSTALMENTS of PRE-Lot 1 .- The Tenement No. 70. First Street NOVEMBER 26TH. MIUM received on \$ 698,336.43 landed, by her Agents, at Consignees' risk and THUNIX FIRE OFFICE Proportion of Annual Crown Rent, \$9.11. Mosser, British str., for Yokohama. WEE BOON TECK, Esq., (Messrs. Wee Bin expense. NEW SHARES Lot 2,-The Tenement No. 72, First Street Glenfruin, British str., for Singapore. \$3,198,936,43. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., The Undersigned are now prepared to & Co., Singapore.) Proportion of Annual Crown Rout, \$9.11. GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against | Lot 3.—The Tenement No. 59. Second Street. TAN YONG SEAH, ESG., (Messrs, Keab & Co., Gordon Castle, British str., for Nagasaki. COURT OF DIRECTORS:-24th November, 1883 Singuporo.) FIRE at the following Rates:— Triumph, German str., for Canton. Proportion of Annual Crown Rent, 89.11: Chairman-WM REINERS, Esq. LOH LAM, Esq., (Loh Kee Song, Singapore.) On First-class European Lot 4.-The Tenement No. 61, Second Street Rajanattianuliar, British str., for Swatow. Deputy Chairman-W. S. Young, Esq. Tonements at ½ % Net per Annum. UNION LINE. Proportion of Annual Crown Rep. \$9.11. Ping-on, British str., for Hoihow. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. A. Melver, Esq. A. Gultzow, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq. Hon. F. B. Johnson. M. E. Sassoon, Esq. Applications for Shares will be received by On First class Godowns, The Property is sold subject to the existing Amoy, British str., for Shanghai. A. Gultzow, Esq., Hon. F. B. Johnson. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., _NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. & Merchandise stored lettings thereof responsively. Activ. Danish str., for Heihow. Agents. therein at ½% Net per Annum. W. H. Forbes, Esq. A. P. McEwen, Esq. For Further Particulars of the Property and 22nd November, 1883. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND CHIEF MANAGER. On Coals at 1 % Not por Annum. Conditions of Sale, apply to SINGAPORE. BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON, Solicitors for the Mortgagee, DEPARTURES. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq., On Petroleum in li-PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM THE Steamship censed Godowns at 14 % Net per Annum. November 26, GLENFRUIN, British steamer, Shanghoi-EWEN CAMERON, Esq. NAVIGATION COMPANY. On First-class Chinese Hongkong, for Singapore. Captain Longley, having arrived from the above Tenements at 2 % Net per Annum. London Bankers-London & County Bank. QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND November 26, Gordon Castle, British str., Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested On Second-class Chinese J. M. ARVSTR NG. CONTINENTAL PORTS. to send in their Bills of Lading to the underfor Nagasaki. HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. Tonoments at 21 % Net per Annum. Auctioneer. November 26, AMATISTA, British steamer, On Current Deposit Account at the rate of DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., signed for countersignature and to take imme-REANGEMENTS have been made for Hongkong. per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. diate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Agents for Phonix Fire Office. for Manila. possing the Company's Steamers through 23rd November, 1883. On Fixed Deposits:-Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer 5th August, 1881. the Sucz Canal in Quarantine, thus avoiding November 26, Narpoo, British bark, for For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' any detention in EGYPC. The Homeward mails Singapore. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. T MPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-TO BE LET. risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be are now being landed at VENICE, but the Qua-November 26, TRIUMPH, German steamer, PANY. rantine which is still imposed at this and all LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. for Canton. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Yoko-The Undersigned, Agents for the above TO LET other Continental Ports prevents the landing of November 26, Pering, British steamer, for hama unless notice to the contrary be given CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES passengers, and those travelling by the Com-FRYWO LARGE ROOMS on the Ground every description of Banking and Exchange against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any before NOON, TO-DAY, the 28rd instant. Floor in the new Premises occupied by pany's Steamers are advised to remain on board November 26, Amoy, British steamer, for business transacted. All claims against the steamer must be prethe undersigued. Ice House Lane, suitable for the vessel which calls at MARSEILLES en route-FIRST-CLASS RISK. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief stopping a few hours only to discharge cargo--Shanghai, commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, lustant, or they will not be recognised. RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE-CARLOWITZ & Co. and proceed in her direct to London, thus avoid-RUSSELL & Co., America, China and Japan. DUCED TO 1 PER CENT. NETT PER ANNUM [2101 | ing all quarantine delays and inconveniences. 20th November, 1883. PASSENGERS. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Ageuta. FROM THIS DATE. The passages of the steamers will be accelerated, ARBIVED. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., 23rd November, 1883. Offices of the Corporation, TO LET. BISNEE VILLA, POKFOOLUM, Furnished. und they will not call at MALIA or GIBRALTAR. No. 1, Queen's Road East, Per De Bou, str., from Nagaszki, -7 Euro-Imperial Fire Insurance Company. A. McIVER, TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO. Hongkong, 25th August, 1883. passe, and 2 Chinese. Superintendent. EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. " GLATICUS." Per Khiva, str., from Yokohama.—Sir Sidney No. 4. SEYMOUR TERRACE. 9th May, 1881. 7th September, 1983. FROM LIVERPOOL. rand Lindy Waterlow, and 2 European servants, NOTICES OF FIRMS. Miss Crooker, Mr. and Mrs. Lincy, Miss Lockyer, THE CHINA MERCHANTS! DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. TELLY AND WALSH HIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Messrs. Gilbyo uni servant, Danglish, Samuel, INSURANCE COMPANY... 28th June, 1883; are now showing a selection of very Undersigned not later than the 27th inst. Stewart, and Lieut. Knight, and 12 Chinese. LIMITED. NOTICE. WANTED TO RENT. for shipment, per steamer "PRIAM." Per City of Rio de Janeiro, str., from San BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Francisco and Yokohama .-- Messrs. H. F. Cris-HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL. PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM FINE ARTS GOODS. ENROM 15th Sovember, a SMALL HOUSE 22nd November, 1883. well, Oscar Jackson, and 640 Chinese. Original Water Colour Skotches. NAVIGATION COMPANY. or UPPER FLAT of a large House. CAPITAL (FULLY SUBSCRIBED) Tls. 1,000,000. Per Nam-vian. str., from Haiphong.-Mr. Studies of Heads by Miles, Edgar Hanley, Say-OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Rents must be moderate. Particulars to be ROM this date Mr. A. McIVER will Ceccaldi, and 18 Chinese. mour and other distinguished Artists. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. 2. resume charge of the Company's business Tong King Sing, Esq., Chairman. Per Pelcing, str., from Shanghai. Mrs. and Martino's Series of Sea Pictures in the very MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer A. B. C., Master Janyson, Capt. and Mo ter Brown, at this Port. CHU YU CHEE, Esq. CHANG SU Ho, Esq. highest style of Chromo Lithography: Care of this Office. " GLAUCUS. Messrs, Fabrisky, Noronha, Stranz, and 62 Chi-E. L. WOODIN, CHING TO CHAI, Esq. YIP YU TIN, Esq. Photographs of Yachtin Seenes, beautifull are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis 1st November, 1883. Acting Superintendent. finished in Water Colour. and ten others. charged into Craft, "" landed at the Godowns 22rd November, 1883. Ho SHEN CHEE, Esq., Secretary. Original Etabings (Signed.) of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at TO LET. The Company GRANTS POLICIES on Photo Medallions, Plain and Hand Painter Per Takachiho Maru, str., for Japan.-Mr. DOOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS. Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for NOTICE. and Mrs. Troup, children and servant, Mr. and MARINE RISKS at Carrent Rates to all representing various types of Beauty. delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the Mrs. Bessett, Capt. Davison, and 4 steerage. parts of the World. Sets of Sporting Pictures, (Coloured). 22nd November, 1883. EDEFERRING to our announcement of the Ustal returns of Premia are made to all DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. TO DEPART. High Class Engravings. Goods-undelivered after the 28th November. To retirement of Mr. ARTHUR ALEX-Per P. & O. str. Verona :- From Hongkong: Contributors of Business whether Sharoholders 1st February, 1882. ANDER ECCLES FARRAR from our firm 1883, will be subject to Rent. And a Fine Assortment of -For Calcutta. - Messrs. F. N. Platt and Wm. on the 30th June last, we beg to give a tice or not BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. HO SHEN CHEE, TO BE LET. Irving. For Colombo.—Mr. H. T. Cresswell. PAINTED TERRA COTTA WARE hat the business hitherto conducted by JOHN 22ad November, 1883. For Vonice. - Messrs. Wm. Ashburner and C. Secretary. WHE DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE Vasas, Plaques, Card. Receivers, &c., &c. MACGREGOR and EATON JOHN CALD-Martin, For Suez. - Misses R. and S. M. Wools. known as "BEAUREGALD," with Garden Head Office, Hankow Road, NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. BECK, under the style of GEO. SMITH & Co. ton. For Marseilles .- Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cave [1102 and Tennis Lawn attached. Shanghai, 1st June, 1882. will from this date be carried on in London CHRISTMAS CARDS. Thomas. For London.-Col. H. Parnell, C.B. Shop and DWELLING in Queen's Road STEAMSHIP "TAKACHIHO MARU." under the style of MACGREGOR, CALD-The Selection this year is a very fine one, and IVERPOOL AND LONDON AND Mrs. Renwick and infant, Mr. and Miss Arderne. FROM KOBE AND NAGASAKI. BECK-& Co., and in Shanghai under the style noludes the best varieties of English and An OFFICE, i. Queen's Road Contral. A GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. From Shanghai. For Singapore. Mes cs. M. CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co. The Undersigned; as Agents for the above American Manufacture. Larkin and M. G. Bowen and servant. For Houses at Spring Garlens, moderate rentals CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co. Company, are prepared from this date to N.B.—The next French Mail leaving here on. Bombay. - Rev. W. Haggis. For Marseilles. -GODOWNS at East and West Points. are hereby requested to send in their Bills (Late GEO SMITH & Co.) GRANT POLICIES upon First-class Risks Messrs. R. L. Head and J. H. B. Allan. For SMALL GODOWNS at Fletcher's Buildings. the 20th instant, is due in London December of Lading for Countersignature, and to take im-Shanghai, 15th November, 1883. o the extent of £15,000, at the Reduced Tariff London.- Rev. J. H. Sedgwick, infant and amah. 26th, but as a rule, the mail arrives two days mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS. before its due date, so that Carlis posted Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining NOTICE DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. [1814] next Tuesday's French Mail will be in ample on board after THURSDAY, the 22nd Novem-3rd October, 1883. · REPORTS. 11th May, 1881. FITHE Undersigned begs to give notice that time for home friends. ber, 1883, will be landed and stored at Con-The French steamer Nam-vian reports left he has sold the Stock-in-Trade and Good-TO LET. KELLY & WALSH-HONGKONG. [26] signees' expense and risk. CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE Hairhong on the 23rd inst., and had heavy mon-THE PREMISES now occupied by us No will of the Business of the late JOHN NOBLE to No Fire Insurance will be effected. 11, Queen's Road Contral. soon from N.E. TATE BREWER is now shewing

> NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading LADIES' COMPANIONS, CARD CASES, PHOTO to the undersigned for countersignature, and ALLUMS, PHOTO FRAMES, INESTANDS, BLOT-

21st November, 1883.

VICTORIA :

H. J. H. TRIPP,

HOTEL

Mitsu Bishi Mail Steamship Co.

take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Er "Sindh." P. No. 6939, One Package Cheese, from Mar-

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG. PROPRIETORS, DORADJEE AND HING KEE: LATE LESSES OF THE HONGKONG HOTEL

THIS FIRST CLASS HOTEL situated on the PRAYA CENTRAL in the contra of the Principal Business Localities, commands take work of the above descriptions under the a magnificent view of the Harbour and Surrounding Scenery. From its detached position, perfeet ventilation has been secured, and the whole of the Rooms being COMMODIOUS and ENGINE ROOM STORE, WEST POINT, FURNISHED with every requisite and com-(1764 fort, afford most desirable accommodation. The BAR, BILLIARD ROOM, and DIN-

ING ROOMS, are fitted up in a Superior manper, and are all under Europeau Supervision and Management. The TABLE D'HOTE is supplied with every delicacy of the Season, and most satisfactory attendance. WINES and LIQUORS of SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to the Best Qualities and Brands only are supplied.

Send in to this Office a List of their Con
Arrangements for BALLS, BANQUETS.

of Profit for that year to be paid as Bonus to sive experience of the Proprietors, and the excel-Contributors may be arranged. Returns not lant reputation they have gained, are a sufficient onarantee that satisfaction will be given in this made up by the Company, and no subsequent branch.
claims or alterations will be allowed.

With

reasonable terms. The long and almost axelu-

Hongkong for a continuance of the generous said date. patronage be-towed on them during the past eleven vears. VICTORIA HOTEL. 22. Prays Central, Hongkony.

21st November, 1883, HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED NOTICE.

N and after the 1st October the PRICE of ICE will be reduced to 1; Cents per JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

PHOTOGRAPHER, Pound. General Mausgers. 17th September, 1883.

> MAISS NELSON, Principal of the Raffles IVI Girls' School: Singapore, returning to England at the e d of January next, wishes to undertake the charge and Education of Children from the East. Reference, pormitted to Lady WELD, Govern. The Right Roy. Bishop of Singapore and BRANDY.

Dr. Rowiell, P.C.M.O., Singapore.

PRICE \$23 PER MONTH INTIMATIONS.

THEATRE ROTAL, CITY HALL. THIS EVENING (TUESDAY,)

LOFTUS-TROUPE PATIENCE (by request) WILDE WILDE TRANSPORTS OF ÆSTERTIO CRANKS. THE HEAVY DRAGOON THE SUNFLOWER AND LILY

the 27th November,

PATIENCE: BUNTHORNE'S BRIDE With New and Beautiful Scenery by Mr. C. J. BARBER.

MESERS. GILBERT AND SULLIVAN'S

Celebrated Comic Opera

CORRECT COSTUMES. The Original Business as directed by the Author and Composer. Orchestra Arrangements by

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CAST OF CHARACTERS. REGINALD BUNTHORNE Mr. C. J. BARBER. (A Fleshly Post...... ARCHIBALD GROSVENOR) Mr. JEFF. D'Av.

(Am' Idyllic Post) } Mr. Bunthorne's Solicitor. .. Mr. HATTLES. COL. CALVEBLEY ...) Officers (Mr. JAS. MALES. MAJ. MURGATROYD (of Dra-) Mr. B.O'BRIER. LIEUT. THE DUKE (goon) Mr. F. W. OAK-OF DUNSTABLE | Guards. LAND. CHORUS OF OFFICERS OF DRAGOON GUARDS. Miss Florence The LADY ANGELA CONLINEE. The LADY ELLA... Miss DOLLY LOFTUS
The LADY ELLA... Miss MYRA SYD-

The LAUYJANE...... Miss Minin Nordt. PATIENCE (A Dairy-) Miss VICTORIA Maid) CHORUS OF RAPTUROUS MAIDINS. ACT I.-EXTERIOR OF CASTLE BUN-

ACT. IL-A GLADE, THE HOME OF THE WARBLERS

Dances arranged by MR. JEFF. D'ANGELIS. scuted to the undersigned on or before the 30th | Interval of 15 Minutes between 1st and 2nd Acts, Messrs, Kelly & Walsh, Agents, where Seats can be secured. J. CHAS. DAVIS,

26th November, 1883. NOTICE.

NIHE Undersigned bers to notify the Public that he has resigned his appointment-as-Pilot for the Ports of Tientsin and Taku, and that he has no further connection with the Taku Pilot Company. JAMES WATTS.

Taku, 15th November, 1883. PRIVATE DANCES.

CIGNOR GIUSEPPE PENATI, PROFESson of Music in Hongkong, is open to ourngements as PIANIST at Private Dancing Parties. Charges strictly moderate.

Address No. 24, Praya Central. 27th November, 1883.

NOTICE. THIE Employes of the Undersigned are only authorized to collect Kents, and the Undersigned will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by them. This notice has been advertised some time ugo in the Newspapers, and it is again notified to prevent any

YEUNG TALLOI, 27th November, 1883. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship "KWANGTUN**G**," Captain M. Young, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 28th inst., at DAYLIGHT; instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. 26th November, 1883. FOR VICTORIA, PORTLAND, AND HONOLULU. THE Steamship

" VORTIGERN," Captain Brown, will be despatched as above on the 29th instant. For Freight, apply to dunn, melbye & Co., Ontward Agents.

26th November, 1883. FOR SAIGON. FILE Steamship

" ATALANTA." Captain E. G. Pfaff, will be despatched for the above Peet on SUNDAY, the 2nd December. Londing has commenced, For Fieight or Passage, apply to SOEY SHING.

Bonham Strand. 27th November, 1883. VICTORIA FOTEL, 22. PRAYA CENTRAL. PROPRIETORS. DORABJEE AND

HING KEE. UHT LESSEES OF THE HONGKONG HOTEL,

HE Community of Houskong are respectfully informed that the VICTORIA HOTEL will be OPENED on SATURDAY. the 1st December, 1863. 24th November, 1883.

THE ESTATE OF JOAO LUCIANO BRITTO, DECEASED.

A LL Persons having any CLAIMS upon the above ESTATE are hereby required to send particulars of the same on or before the With every facility for making suitable ar- | 30th day of November, 1893, to the Underrangements at Reasonable Prices, either for signed, and all Persons who are INDEBTED permanent or weekly BOARDERS, the Pro- to the above Estate are also required to pay prietors confidently appeal to the community of their debts to the Undersigned on or before the Hongkong, 16th November, 1833.

BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON. Solicitors. 25. Queen's Road. Hongkong,

C. L. THEVENIN

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT. - Honorong Hotel Buildings.

HAS FOR SALE. - A Fine Assortment of WHITE and RED BURGANDIES. GRAND HERMITAGE, CHAMBERTIN POMMARD, RICHEBOURG CHABLIS. Pints and Quarts, OLD PORT, SHERRY, WHISKY, COGNAC. &c. Assorted LIQUORS, SYRUPS, and PER-FUMERY &c. &c. 18th October, 1883.

RODERICK DHU WHISKY. PURE Fine Flavoured Blend caubl to Bouquet and Style to the Pinest Erepoli Sclo Agent, Hongkone, C. L. THIVENIN

VESUELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS (Per last Mail's Advice).

The British steamer Peking reports left

Shanghai on the 23rd just., and had moderate

monsoon to Lammocks; from thence light breeze

The British steamer Do Bay reports left Na-

gasaki on the evening of the 20th inst. and ex-

perienced moderate monsoon and rainy weather

throughout the passage. In Nagasaki & M.S.

The American steamer City of Rio de Janeiro

reports sailed from San Francisco Oct. 24th at

3.15 p.m. and had strong win is with a heavy.

sea and a low area of barometer, all the passage.

Arrived in Yokohama at 8 a.m., 17th inst., and

left at 6.10 a.m., 19th; had dark, cloudy weather

BHANGHAI SHIPPING.

13, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo.

13, Kiang-yu, Chinese str., from Hankow.

13, Albatrose, British sloop, from Japan.

18. Taku, British str., from Foodbow.

13, Vigilant, British d.v., from Japan.

14, Nepaul, British str.,, from Bombay.

14, Ningpa, British str., from Hougkong.

15, Shanghai, British str., from Hankow.

15, Saal, British str., from Hankow.

15, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo.

15, Hiroshima Maru, Jap. str., from Japan.

15, El Dorado, British str., from Tientsin.

15, Wuchang, British str., from Tientsin.

15; Fungshun, Chinese str., from Tientain.

15, Pautah, Chinese str., from Tientsin.

16, Tunsin, British ster from Ningpo.

16, Mas-au, Chinese str., from Tientsin.

16, Solidor, British bark, from Hakodate.

16, Taiwo, British str., from Hankow.

13, Hedvig, British bark, for Tientsin.

13. Wenchow, British etr., for Tientsin.

13, Kuelung, British str., for Chefoo.

13, Kiang-kwan, Chinese str., for Hankow.

13, Chinkiang, British str., for Hongkong.

13. Fulyew, Chinese str., for Hongkong.

13. Kiang teen Chinese str., for Ningpo.

14, Yungning, Chinesestr., for Wenchow.

14, Nagoya Maru, Jap. str., for N'saki.

14, Whaton, British str., for Hankow.

14. Pokin, British str., for Hunkow.

14. Tunsin, British str., for Ningpo.

15, Taku, British str., for Foodbow.

15, Peike, French str., for Houghong.

15. Glenfruin, British str., for London.

15. Hwai-yuon, Chinoso str., for Amoy.

15, Ful Wo, British str., for Hankow.

15, Foshma, British str., for H'kong.

15. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo.

Chihaya Maru, Jap. bark, for N'saki.

16, Kinngyü Chinese atr., for Hankow.

16, Fooksang, British str., for H'kong.

16. El Dorado, British str., for Chefoo.

16, Tunsin, British-atr., for Ningpo.

16, Wuchang British str., for Chefoo.

16, Baikal, Russian str. for Wladivostock,

16, Anglo-Indian, British bark, for N'saki.

November DEPARTURES.

13, Greatham Hall, British str. from Koclang.

13, Kumusako Maru, Jap. bk., from K'notzu. 14, Tunsin, British str., from Ningpo.

14. Yoritomo Maru, Jap. str., from K'notzu.

14. Bellerophon, British str., from Liverpool.

and cloudy weather to part. . .

nearly the whole trip.

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On the 15th instant, the wife of CREAST EWENS, o On the list instant, at the Albany, No. 4, the wife of N. A. Siens, of a daughter. On the 22nd instant, the wife of Captain T. C. DEMPSTER, of a daughter, MARRIAGE

On the 13th November, at the Roman Catholic Church, and before R. J. Forrest, Haquire, Her Bri. tannio Majesty's Consul, Amoy, WILLIAM J. ALLAN, Imperial Maritime Customs, to MARGARET MARY,

On 5th October, at Leighton House, Trumpington, Cumbridge, ROBERT SAYLE, Esq., J.P., aged On 2nd instant, at Anning, Taiwanfoo, Formosa, and leady, DAVID BROWNE, of the Imperial Maritime Castoms Service, a native of Rottordam, aged 35.

HONORONO, NOVEMBER 27th, 1883.

In another column we reproduce, from an that the Chinese Government bave all along Shanghai contemporary either was unable to imagine that it is not very recent. It is evident that the Peking Authorities long ago resolved to resist the French occupation of Tonquin, but had not then decided to do so to contest the French advance. From the good reason to believe that the Black Plage subsequently increased her demands, and mentral zone only on the southern frontier which she is intended, and is one of the finest presentation that they were adopted children, of Tonquin; in other words, she would whole of Tonquin, and agree taken from the Yellow Book recently pubsome persons may think of French aggresin view and are less scrupulous in their purthan France; her rule would be less welcome, probably, and it certainly would be tial dismemberment of Annam and by her. profess to belong. Most of them have obtained by the Uniness Government as peeded. The tacit recognition of the French protectorate employment at the hands of the priests since military forces of Yunuan are to be placed under bare provided the legal assistance for their des. The command of Tang Chiung Governor of

fatuity and parsimony with which they ontered upon a campaign that ought never to have been commenced with less than 10,000 troops. But they are reaping the fruits of that insensate folly, and if the French people are willing to condone the huge blunder which is likely to cost them so dearly, it is C.B. of The Buils. no affair of outsiders. At the same time the result is likely to cause much trouble in the Far East, the end whereof it is impos- H.M.S. Audacious was in Nagasaki harbour on sible to foresee.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Orestee left Sin :apore yesterday morning for this port. The Pacific Mail steamer City of Tokio, with the next American mail, left San Francisco on the 7th lost, for Yokohama and this port,

place on the 6th, 7th, and 8th inst. It is very post of Lord Mayor. neatly got up and well printed.

The N. C. Daily News says that the steamer the steamer Nam-vian from Haiphong. langehi, which was formerly employed by the gunboats Lyng and Leopard had been despatched C.M.S.N. Co., having been banded back to the to Bac-ninb, in the vicinity of which redoubts Chinese Government, has undergone extensive were being formed by French troops to enable alterations at the Taku Dock, and is now to be them to out off communication between Bac-ninh employed as flagship of the Admiral commanding and Sontay. Preparations were still going on the Pei-yang squadron.

From American papers we learn that the Centucky branch of the American Bible Society has resolved to present a haudsome bible to the Korean Embassy as a token from Kentucky to Koren. The recent offer by Commissi ner Evarts of a bottle of Kentucky bourbon to the Embassy, which they declined, was severely commented upon.

The Japan Herald translates the following from a Japanese paper:—"A Russian and a the young lady is sufficiently absorbed by the heavy primeval atmosphere at and very near the permission to establish a glass manufactory in Koobou fu, as there are large quantities of sand in the Kanko river St for glass making, but the permission has not been granted. Machinery for the manufacture of war implements has arrived at the Engineering Bureau from England, where NOTICE.—To avoid delay in the execution of it was ordered, but work, will not begin till the arrival of coal from China."

> The Japan Mail says that a serious accident bappened on the 15th inst. on board the P. & O. ateamship Khiva while in Yokohama. The fourth officer was tallying cargo near one of the hatches, when he was struck by some that was being awang inboard and knocked down into the hold, striking in his descent an iron beam. is believed to have sustained very serious injuries. including a fractured thigh. Surgical aid from the Richmond was at once obtained, and the unfortunate man was afterwards removed to the

The Coroner and jury empanualled in the case of the Deepwater Bay tragedy successfully carried through their expedition vesterday. The Charles May was used for the coon. sion, and the jury, bringing with them such | stock of provisions as they might deem neces. Government that the petitioner, by his own surrounding mass. I have obtained specimens of eary for a long absence, were on board by 10.30 admission, was a porter or labourer and not a black magnesia mios in plates and lamines several quite an excursion, with an opportunity of explor- said, in effect, that he had no doubt but modified form of quartz, also manganese exide by people living on this side. Despwater Bay to include in its prescription the son of a upon it of alkalies, contained with it in the was reached in safety and the party very care. Chinese merchant to take his place in the busi- original rock, and then reduced by organi-[2128 | bumble dominile, where the woman was found in the arms of the evil-minded grass-outter, and having been about an hour and half ashore, they went on board again, and arrived safely at Ped. only daughter of the late Capt. David Melville, of a very enjoyable day. No evidence was taken [2192 | 2.30 to-day.

A man named Kennedy, who has been employed or some months as ward-master at the Civil Hospital, attempted to commit suicide on Sunday night. Kennedy had made the acquaint. ance of an unfortunate named Mary Fatter. son, who is a married woman living apart from her husband and occupying a house in Cochranestreet. There are two accounts as to the pause of the man committing his rash set—one being jealousy of the woman, and the other bad tidings from home. Kennedy went into of Mr. Aston at Inchhön, though he obviously the woman's house on Sunday night, or early attaches no importance to the juxtaposition of vesterday morning. The woman from some cause declined to have anything to do with him ; are inclined to think that Sir Harry Parkes and he became desperate with jealousy or dis. Mr. Aston are not unlikely to solve the riddle of appointed affection, and drawing a derringer, he China's relation with Korea in such a manner through a vein of hard greenstone which may 75 cents worth of nails from the Hung Ham extra published by the N. C. Herald, a trans- fired it into his left breast, doubtless intending that the presence of Chinese troops at the lation of a secret Decree issued in the name to pierce his heart. In this he did not succeed, Korvan capital and of Chinese officials at Korvan and he at present survives his wound, but we are indministrative ceremonies will no longer deof the Emperor of China, which affords informed that his recovery is looked upon as pend on the caprice of a Chinese statesman. convincing proof-if any had been needed- highly improbable; the bullet has not been ex. It is said that Sir Harry Parkes has subtracted, and its whereabouts is uncertain. He mitted some very pertinent propositions to the was removed to the Civil Hospital yesterday Grand Secretary Li with reference to this point, hard and compact quarts coloured with a slightbeen in league with the Black Flags. We morning. Kennedy is a young man of good informing the great Vicercy, in most unequivedo not know the date of the Decree, as our physique; we hear he was formerly one of oul terms, that England means to regard Karen the crew of the U.S.S. Palos, and before that he as an independent Power, so far as the right to dently a segregation vein, and I have secured a having been druck and incapable on the 24th give this or inadvertently omitted it, but we questions as to his friends, or to give any olue under these circumstances, some medification of is also very reserved about his own act.

openly. They saw, however, in the Black vessel is named the Wingsang, and is one of the that Sir Harry Parkes will reduce to some in-Flag band the nucleus of a force wherewith largest of the Company's fleet. Her tonnage is telligible and practical shape the arbitrary convery first outbreak of hostilities there is. She is keelless, but has plates on her bottom of perseverance and sagabity to the task, for it is were supplied with funds and munitions of She is 290 feet long, 40 feet beam, 30 feet depth neighbours lies a constantly active germ of warfrom China, and their ranks were speedily of hold. Her engines are 350 horse power possible disturbance to the peace of the Ocient. reinforced by troops of irregulars from Yun. of twelve knots an hour, whilst her ordinary Referring to the Chinese passengers from San have, perhaps wrongly, termed a delerite, connan and Kwangsi. At the present moment, steaming speed is from ten to ten and a half Francisco by the City of Rio de Jeneiro, he- tains some 53 per cent. of silics, whereas delerite however, it is difficult to say how many Chi. knots. The whole extent of the 'tween eight and nine hundred of whom took out proper usually has only about 47 per cent. ness soldiers may not be in Touquin, in the state of the ship to the other, has been return certificates, a San Francisco paper of this soid, and is decidedly more basic than country to the north of Sontay and Bassinh laid out for steerage passengers, for whose ac. says:—It is considered probable that many of my specimen, which probably contains free country to the north of Sontay and Bacninh. commodation portable cabine, which can be put | these Chinamen, on their return, will bring we. | silica in the form of quarts. The elvan is still There can now be no doubt that China has up or taken down in a very short time, have been men whom they will claim as their wives. There more said, its proportion of silics being 59 per determined to have the whole of Tonquin, so for passengers of cargo as required. It is well prove these marriages, but still it is the conviction in free quarts, one specimen from the shaft near as to be able to command the mouth of the ventilated and will afford unusually good ac. of those who see and come in contact with them the southern end of the tunnel yielding 68 per Songkoi river, and thus retain control of the commodation for passengers. There are berthe that the women are brought here only for immeral for about 20 first class and 10 second class purposes. More and more loopholes appear in commerce of Yannan. Originally, it will be passengers in the deck houses. The first class the Restriction Act, as it is examined, through remembered, the Chinese Government pro- saloon and cabine are contained in a large deck which Chinese can come here whom the Restricposed as one of the terms of settlement that house aft. The saloon is very light and airy, tion Act manifestly intended to exclude. An offiand is handsomely fitted up in actin wood. The joial ventured the opinion that all these women. a neutral zone should be established between cabins are aft of the saloon, being ranged on or nearly all, are in disreputable business withthe frontiers of Tonquin and China, but she sither side of an allegway leading out of that in thirty days after they laud. Few of the girls apartment, each cabin being very commodious who come over as oblidren of these alleged and fitted up with every regard for taste and wives are under twelve years of age. Both when the neutral zone was proposed by comfort. The second class accommodation is Chinese girls and boys are admitted without France, the proposition was met by a declara. smidships, and the cabins are but little inferior certificates to some extent. There have been two to those of the first class. The boat is altoge. such cases recently. One case was that in which tion from China that she would accept a ther thoroughly well adapted for the traffic for three children were allowed to land on the re-

vessels on the coast.

The thirteen Chinese charged with murder on of the foster father, were dead. Two were boys, being established Chinese territory, whose re-arrest we recently a d respectively ten and sixteen years, and one reported, were brought up at the Police Court, girl aged twelve or fourteen. Another case was between it and Annam proper, which, on remand, yesterday, when Mr. A. B. Johnson, that in which-two children were admitted. The being a poor country, France would be at Acting Crown Solicitor, prescented. Mr. Ewens mother had a Consular certificate. She alleged liberty to suner. The above statement is represented the Chinese Government, and Mr. that the children were hers. The Custom House Wotton defended. The evidence taken went to officials had no way to disprove the fact. The show that an armed attack was made on a family children had no papers on which to land, but lished in Paris, and its publication must by about 24 men, four of its members being set came ashore as a part of the family. The Act not the very plainly that, whatever upon at one time. These four men were the has been construed not to intend to separate grandfather, the uncle, and the two elder bro- husband and wife. thers of the witnesses called. The attacking siveness, the Chinese have the same object party were armed with swords, spears, tridents, and revolvers, and, according to the account given by the witnesses, they seem to have hacked suit of it. China has less right in Tonquin | their victims about in a very savage manner, The old man had 24 wounds on him, the uncle 23, one of the brothers seven; and the other six. One brother recovered from his wounds, the far less beneficial to the country. If there- other died the next day, and the grandfather and fore, n war does break out between uncle were killed on the spot. The witnesses France and China, the sympathies of all identified eleven of the prisoners as having taken part in the attack, and said the other two had no Egypt by the British troops have been countercivilised nations must go with the former, share in it. They said the prisoners lived in the So far from the responsibility of the war same village as they did, and their faces were resting upon France, it. will rest wholly tamillar. We previously stated that thirteen men, of whom nine are among those now in upon the Peking Government. When custody, were arrested about three years ago; France decided to compel the late King of An- and ordered by the magistrate to be detained NAM to fulfil the stipulations of the Treaty John Pope Hennessy ordered them to be reof 1874, and commenced operations for the leased, and that owing to the representations. occupation of Tonquin, she had no reason made to the Home Government by the Marquin Tsong, their re-arrest has been ordered. We to suppose that the Chinese Government and that these men were previously in gaol would intervene. China had put herself out eleven months, and while in prison they were of court in the matter by allowing the part of the priests of the Black Flags, is entirely planned, and all but the merely meetast of the Black Flags, is entirely planned, and all but the merely meetast of the Black Flags, is entirely planned, and all but the merely meetast of the Black Flags, is entirely planned, and all but the merely meetast of the Black Flags, is entirely planned, and all but the merely meetast of the Black Flags, is entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned, and all but the merely meetast of the Black Flags, is entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the population of the mental months. The programme was strictly because of the Black Flags, is entirely planned. The green months, and while in prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were entirely planned. The green months are the population of the mental man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were entirely planned. The green man ping, value 32.00, row to use of the prison they were the ping of the ping of the

at 10.20 yesterdsy morning. Moneigur Tricon, the French Minister to China, reached Yokohama in the corvette Volta

on the 12th instant. P. & O. mail steamer to-day is Colonel Parnell.

By the British steamer De Bay, which arrived here late on Sunday evening, we learn that

the 20th inst. The British steamer Sucz was dooked

Among the passengers who arrived here yesterday by the P. and O. steamer Khiva from interest:-Japan were Sir Sydney and Lady Waterlow. We have received a pamphlet reprint from the who are on a tour round the world. Sir Sydney Japan Daily Muil of their report of the Autumn is the head of the great firm of Waterlow and Meeting of the Nippon Race Club, which took Sons, law stationers, of London, and has held the

> Very little news was brought up yesterday by for an attack upon Bac-ninh whon the steamer

A shrewd device is attributed to a certain class of Jonanese thieves. who devote their attention chiefly to appropriating foot goar. A young lady with handsomely lacquered pattens is their special quarry. They know exactly at what places pleasure-seeking damsels are wont to stop and gaze at the prospect, and there they atation themselves with two or three pairs of she feels something tickling her feet. whereupon she withdraws the other foot from its patten and applies its toes to the irritating spot. By and by that foot also demands similar reshod. Each time she used one foot to soratch the other, an old worn-out patter was substituted for the dainty article from which the foot had been withdrawn,—Japan Mail,

Lem Lin On, was not allowed to land under the Chinese Restriction Act, on the ground that he is a labourer, and having no return certificate is excluded under the act. A writ of habeas corpus of the firm. The defence introduced testimony ly differing atmospherical conditions. Of modern to the effect that the father of the petitioner, platonic or hypogene action properly so called now in China, sent the firm a letter, requesting the island of Hongkong presents no trace; the his son to come to San Francisco and take his eyenite-granite contains numerous veins of mercantile business. It was claimed by the minerals which may have segregated from the or thereabout. The weather was a decided im merchant except in expectancy, and was not inches thick; also horneblende and silica, and provement on that of Friday, and the party had therefore allowed to land. Judge Hoffman felspars with silies, and silies alone as ing a part of the island which is but little visited that the restriction law never intended probably first rendered soluble by the action

fully examined the place where the two children's wess. The act evidently intended to restrict matters. This manganese exide was of bodies and the woman in custody were found those who carn their living by their hands as tained by scraping it eff the smooth southern floating. They also explored the lime burner's daily labourers. In his opinion the petitioner did face of rock lining a basaltic dyke, where not come within the prescriptive act under the slight crevies between the granite and intrusive testimony given. Judge Hoffman further re- rock might perhaps have favoured its accumulamarked that had it not been shown that the peti. tion. But of modern or comparatively recent tioner was a son of a Chinese merchant of this volcanic rock, tuffs, trackyte, &c., which as erupdar's Wharf at about four o'clock, having spent | city, an old man who had returned to his native | tive volcanic lavas, if present, might be looked country, and who had relioquished his business for amongst the highest peaks and ridges of Dundee, Scotland. London, Dundse, and Colonial on the spot, and the inquest will be resumed at in behalf of his natural successor, the result of the island, I do not think any can be found, the application might have been different. The some specimens which have been described as discharge of the petitioner was ordered. such being probably the result of metamorphic action during untold millions of years, on the The Korean correspondent of the Jiji Shimpe

> speaks of an examination of candidates for military rank held at the palace of the King in the presence of Korean and Chinese dignitaries. as though the latter's participation in the internal administration of the peninsula was a natural and proper thing. Curiously enough (says the Jupan Mail) the same correspondent almost in the same breath, mentions the arrival the two facts: For our own part, however, we by which they may be communicated with. He the forms of speech enjoyed in the tradal regu- in the form of yellow and pale coloured pyrites. lations dictated a year ago by the Middle Kingdom to its so-called tributary, becomes a deside. Dyrite and marcaeite, adhering to one fined half a dollar. On Sunday a very fine addition to the fleet of ratum, if not a necessity. How this very plain leadlike appearance, but only 250 mgs. in the Indo-China S. N. Co. arrived here from suggestion was received by the Viceroy we are Glasgow, fresh from the builders' hands. This in a position to say, but we have confidence 1.515. She is a schooner rigged boat, with a ditions now existin. It will be well worth his good topgallant forecastle and is flush decked aft. while to devote a good deal of his proverbial extra thickness, and has two decks, with the plain to the most superficial observer that in the beams of another deck below the 'tween docks. | undefined relations between China and hor petty

> > coming here with a Chinese merchant, the foster father, bécause their parents in China, relatives

> > > TELEGRAMS.

THE DESTRUCTION OF HICKS' PASHA'S ARMY.

Of Hicks Pasha's Army of 10,500 only one escaped. The orders for the evacuation manded pending the further development of

THE BLACK FLAGS.

IMPORTANT BRUZLATION. Ar extraordinary Secret Decree, issued in the bore in the tunnel, only 8 feet, made the undername of the Emperor of China, has fellen into our hands. The following is an abstract of the

The delivery of the American mail was begun to the frontier; to join the Black Flags, and to fight the French. The other provinces,-Kuang. tung, Kuang-si, etc.,—are to provide forces for protecting the frontier of Chins, but these are not to go beyond. The Governor-General of the Amongst the passengers to depart by the Liang Kuang, and the Governors of Kuang-si and Yunnan are to raise fund; for the war as required."-N. C. Herald Estra.

> GEOLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS ON HONGKONG.

In continuation of previous remarks on the Kowloon 'yesterday. The Spanish steamer geology of this island, made in connection with Julieta and H. M. S. Zephyr will leave and the engineering operations now going on at the H. M. S. Daring will enter the same dock to-day. Tai-tam Valley for the new waterworks, the following observations on both may prove of

The entire island is granite; the islands to the south, sast, and west, and the mountain range on the opposite mainland of Chius, some three miles to the northward, are all granite. Where, in the deep valleys between the fest of opposite bills. a baseltic rock shows itself, such rock is invari ably intrusive, filling a dyke or rent in the surrounding granite. The island will thus be seen to be entirely of a formation (granitic which modern geologists most unhesitatingly and positively call plutonic, that is hypogene, as having consolidated at a considerable depth enesth the surface.

I would not, however, commit myself to the use

of such expressions without more proofs or a

greater warranty for their correctness than is

to be found in the extent of our present know. ledge of the subject. I think it much more probable that granito has cooled, orgatallized, and very old pattens in their sleeves. Sp soon as consolidated, under the enormous pressure of a surface, and is thus of ancient epigene, rather than of plutonic or hypogene formation. Were it otherwise, the rock would be intrusive, or upheaved treatment, and ultimately the damsel walks away. by volcanic action through strata overlying it at the time of its formation; but as there are no in lications of such disturbance, but rather almost positive proof that such disturbances have never taken place, while no geologist has or can Nice questions seem to be arising in the United States under the Chinese Restriction Act. On suggest any formation or rock which in those the arrival of the City of Rio de Janeiro at San | primeval times might have been formed pre-Francisco on her last trip, one of the passengers, viously to the granite, and thus overlain it therefore it appears that the terms bypogene and platonic, when applied to ancient granites, may possibly be a misnomer. Modern volcanie rocks. was taken out on his behalf, and the case duly although often of much the same chemical ormcame on for trial. It was shown by the prose- position as granite, frequently present a very cution that the petitioner formerly worked in different appearance, probably due very much to a Chinese store as a porter, his father being one the fact of having cooled and selidified under wide-

> older granitic formations, of which the island is The granite of Hongkong and its neighbourhood is to a great extent syenitic, that is, con taining a considerable proportion of hornablends, in addition to the silica, felspars, and mica, which go to form typical granito. This ayenite-granite has, in most places, weathered to a depth of thirty to forty feet, or more, mostly in rounded or flowing outlines, but leaving in many places boulders and irregular masses of rook which have resisted disintegration in a most remarkable manner.

alteration, in manner of crystallisation; of a labour. opinion from having observed immediately ad- | value of \$2 from a boat at Yaumati, on the 25th joining this greenstone a vein of extremely instant. ly greenish tinge, probably by infiltration from the neighbouring horneblen le; this last is evipiece, nearly six inches in thickness, with a instant. wei bt, was given me by a gentleman in charge of the works. This also was a ferrio sulphide The specimen was adherent to a crystal of pink coloured felspar, and separated from it, in micacions lamium and layers, into which the specimen splits up, on application of a knife. At the reservoir dam excavations I was much interested in observing the gradation of a fine grained basaltic rook, first into delerite, then elvenite, and then, where the dyke enlarged, merging

cent. of silica. I give analyses below:-Dolorite, 2nd specimen :---Silica Magnesia -Forrous oxide ...) Ferrio oxide Manganese oride) Potence ? Water and loss.

Syenite-Granito from the Shaft 30 feet below

Silien 68. Alumina 13. Ferrous, ferrie, and manganese exides 8. Magnosia Water and loss Elvan or Elvanite from enlargement of

Alemina 12.5 Forrous oxide ...)

constructed of solid masonry throughout. The

stone on the spot will be crushed, and made into

structed. The work, when completed, will be

one of the most extensive engineering enter-

prises of its kind in the East. The small size of

dyke at reservoir dam :--

Manganese oxide

Potassa 3. LONDON, 24th November. The tunnel is to be 8 feet equare, by about 7,000 feet in length, and the reservoir dam ome two looking for iron nails, &c., on the sea shore, and hundred yards in length, by 80 feet in thickness the scavenging contractor was always driving Press surprising."

THE PEKING GOVERNMENT AND

taking an extremely bold one, requiring no mean witning desired bed fire for is the mingled Lence. The base has been katther tomanded. Whahas and he is hereby instructed to proceed

SUPREME COURT.

November 26th. CRIMINAL SESSIONS. Burgan thm Hon. Six Gueron Phillippe

CHIEF JUSTICE. His Lordship delivered the following sentonons deferred from Thursday :---THE PATAL APPRAY IN QUEEN'S-BOAD WEST. The prisoner To Atso, convicted of the man-

of iren or brass in their hair, but the cooks in never been in harmony, and this, I believe, pro- and begged Teeng to call serious attention their bands and usile.

ought to have taken his punishment without election, the challenge. There was no one present who of this letter .- Yours truly, saw how the wound had been inflicted, and that was probably the only reason why he bad not been convicted of a charge of murder. His Lordship thought it was inconvelvable, if the prisoner only meant to out the deceased's hand, that he should have given him a wound in the breast which penetrated two inches into his hair to use, the sentence would have been much and proceed to Canton. life, and it would be necessary to pass on lady—the only foreigner buried at that port. him a sufficient sentence to deter others from She was much respected, and died about a year

considered, and he would be sentenced to seven lung and a few friends. years' penal cervitude. If the prisoner conducted probably be remitted. the person on the Prays, alluded to the fact that respondent. the prisoner had been convicted three times before of largeny from the person, or attempted largeny, and once for simple largeny. The present case was a particularly heartless one, for it was an attempt by the prisoner and others to rob a

this occasion, as be thought it was an advantage developing the commercial and industrial reto the public that criminals should know that if sources of the Kingdom of Korea, and in order they did not resort to brutal treatment they would to facilitate trade, it is proposed to establish at escape being fogged. If, however, these street Secul (the Capital) a museum in which, among orious continued to be committed, and it was other things, will be exposed samples and models found necessary to do so, he would not hesitate of articles of foreign export, such as machinery to exert the power of ordering flogging which mining and agricultural implements, geological the law gave him. The prisoner must necessarily instruments, and varied material of every descripbe kept out of mischief for some time, and it was tion likely to prove of interest or benefit to a to be hoped he would resolve to amend his life. population of 12,000,000 souls, emerging from He would be sentenced to five yours' penal the most primitive state. The articles will be

Chung Ayit, who was convicted of larceny, and pleaded guilty to previous convictions, was turers of the United States are invited to consentenced to two years' imprisonment with hard | tribute to this museum. All articles should be The prisoner, in asking for mercy from the Shanghai, China, and all communications.

Court, said he would leave the Colony when he came out of gaol, and never return to it, and his to me at this place (Mr. Von Mollendorff, Seoul." Lardship said it would be a very wise thing for | The Korean Government should have the privilege

POLICE COURT. November 26th.

BEFORE CAPT. H. G. THOMSETT. R.N.

LABCENT. be aphanitic disrite, formed by segregation and Dock, and he was sentenced to sir months' felspar and horneblands from the surrounding Lau Atai, unemployed, was sentenced to six syenite-granite. I am the more inclined to this months' hard labour for stealing clothes of the

> DEUNKENNESS. John McLellan and Robert McTegger, of the Chen Awo, boatman, was drunk and disorderly on the Prays Central, on the 24th, and he was

Tsoi Atuk, water coolie, was convicted of un. icensed possession of a small quantity of prepared opinio, and of utensils for preparing the drug at 1, Market-street, on Saturday hat. In default of payment of a fine of \$20, he was

sent to goal for a month. Opium and imple ments forfeited. BLORD MR. H. E. WODEROUSE.

OFFENCE AGAINST THE HARBOUR

Chan Ling, master of the steam launch To Shun, was convicted of running his craft in the harbour after dark without carrying, the usual lights, and he was fixed \$5.

CHARGE AGAINST & LORANG. P. C. Wei Achap, No. 303, was charged with neglect of duty on the 26th instant. plain clothes on the Wanchni Road yesterday Gordon Bennett concerning the new Altantic morning, with a man who had just before been lostle project. It makes Bennett state that he convicted of cutting trees, and when the pri- has joined Mackay to lay two cables, one from soner saw witness he said something to the man. Brest, connected with Paris by special wire, and who immediately cleared off as fast as he could the other from England. The capital will be go. Lyons believed the lokang warned the man 2500,000, and the contract stipulates that the

The defendant denied that he was walking with the outter of trees, or that he spoke to him Inspector Corcoran gave the lokang a fair oberacter, Fined 82.

SPITEFUL DAMAGE.

malicionaly damaged a sedan chair, the perperty vernment and General Iglesias. The bulletin of the employer of a coolie named Toung Atsau, sedds :- As Lims and Callao will, within two days, also with cutting and wounding the complainant, I be occupied by the Peruvians the Diario Official and thirdly with being armed with an unlawful will no longer be published. The complainant said he was employed At eight this morning Gen. Lynch left for

by the Government Scavenging Contractor, Barranca, where he has established his general and on Sanday, while taking conges his attention quarters. At ten o'clock Geo. I glesias entered va: attracted to the prisoner, who was doing! something to his master's chair. He went to the chair, and found that the defendant had out ! out the seat with a knife. The defendant ran | his energy to reform the system of mobilizing away, but complainant gave chase, and caught | the army. The prospect of war with Germany him. The defendant told him that if he did not will be uppermost in his mind. release him, he (defendant) would out him. The man followed up his threat by cutting the complainant on the arm with a knife, and also atruck by reporters yesterday. He is reported as say. a blow at him with a fighting iron. Complain, ing: "I like the hearty, spontaneous manner in ant, however, stuck to him till a constable which I have been greeted. The reception I came up. The defendant had been employed have received was a decided surprise to me. by the scavenging contractor and just before Think of a man being met by three vessels loaded Ba been discharged for laziness. The defendant said he obtained his living by with everything I have seen. I have noticed

at the base and 24 feet on the summit, and 120 bim away. He was determined to show that he feet high from ive foundations; the dam will be did not like it. Sentenced to six weeks' hard labour, and ordered to find two sureties of \$5 each for his a concrete with Portland coment, and of these good behaviour for three months, or in default materials the entire wall, or dam, will be con- to have another fortnight in gool.

BEFORE BOTH MAGISTRATES.

amount of professional skill to bring the work to a satisfactory conclusion. The work was three hair pins, value \$1.50, rom the head of a The enthusiasm of the populaco was very great. prisonment with hard labourral, some years ago, and is now rapidly progreesing under the care of practical miners and Tang Asu, coolie, was sentenced to a similar

sugmeers expressly engaged in England for the term of imprisonment for anatching carrings

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinion expressed by our Correspondents.] THE NEW LEGISLATIVE COUNCILLORS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS."

was to the effect that the prisoner was the and I can confidently state that the voice of the resorting to the use of a weapon, as he had offered | Thanking you in auticipation for the insertion

PRO BONO PUBLICO. Hongkong, 26th November, 1833. HANKOW.

19th November. A body of troops, numbering 2,800, are exlunge. Howas willing to take into consideration | pected here in a few days from the Tung-ting | Southern provinces. No doubt the arrival of the statement of the manager that it was Lake district. They will embark on board three reinforcements to the expedition will probably usual for cooks to carry such pieces of iron in Chinese men-of-war and three chartered lorohan, fucilitate the work so gallantly begun in Tonquin. their hair to clean their unils with, and if he had | the latter being towed to Shaughai. The troops | France is still ready to negotiate with China in thought the prisoner concealed a weapon in his will be transhipped at Shanghai or Woosung a friendly spirit, and topes to induce her to take

acting in this manner under similar circum. sgo. It is said that the monument has been stances. The prisoner's youth would also be erected by the captain and officers of the Kinng-It is reported that the Kinng-tung will only

himself well in gaol, part of this sentence would make two or three more trips to Ichang this season. A new agency is to be started at Ichang, and the stock of the drug is given at 1,900 chasts. ATTEMPTED BOBBERY FROM THE PERSON. and the Fatchoy will become the pioneer of a new | The nominal rate for Benares is \$550, as the His Lordship, in centencing Wong Afuk, line. She is expected to leave this port for stock of it is almost exhausted. convicted of assault and attempted larceny from I Chang about the 1st Be sember. - Courier Cor-

PROPOSED MUSEUM AT SEOUL. WASHINGTON, 20th October. The special Mission from the Government of returned emigrant of the savings he had been Kores to the United States has recently asked toiling to earn, and denying himself to save for the cooperation of the Department of State in years in California, in order that he might spend the proposed establishment of a museum at Seoul, On Paris,the end of his life in comfort in his native coun- their Capital. The following note, written by try. He had considered whether or not he should the Vice-President of the Foreign Office at Scole order the prisoner to be flogged, but as there and transmitted by the U.S. Minister to the De. On BORBAY,—Bank, 3 days sight 226 was nothing very bratal in the offence, he had de- partment of State, fully sets forth the object and On CALCUTTA. -Bank, 3 days sight 226 cided not to exercise the power the law gave him on purpose of the enterprise :- " With a view of On Shanghal all catalogued in English and Chinese, and have attached the names of those centributing." The manufacturing firms, merchants, and manufac addressed to the care of H. Snethlage, Esq. catalogues, price lists, etc., should be sent direct of purchasing these articles at the prices named on the invoice. It is hoped, by this system, to develop trade to mutual advantage, and as any orders which may be the outgrowth of it, can be sent by us direct to the manufacturers, the aid of middlemen will not be needed, and American firms having representative in the East will be largely benefited thereby. No date has been decided for opening the exhibition, but our Government will do all it can to promote the

> Covernment. He is prepared to receive goods as soon as they can be sent. THE AMERICAN MAIL.

object in view. Exhibits of agricultural

particularly desired, and it is probable these and

arrangement has been made by the Korean

Government for the transportation of exhibits

to Shanghai, but from that point, it is under-

stood, such articles will be forwarded by the

similar articles will find ready sales."

The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janeiro Captain Searle, arrived here yesterday morning. bringing dates from San Francisco to the 24th ultimo. The following telegrams are from our California exchanges:-

PHILADELPHIA, 16th October, The certificate of naturalisation granted to Chung Kee, the Chinese laundryman, by Judge Arnold, on Thursday, was yesterday returned to the judge by Solomon May, a clerk in the exsheriff's office, who had put the Chinese through the naturalization paces. He said that he understood that since the refusal of Judge Yorkes. acting under the act of 1882, to admit Chung Lam. the brother of Chung Kee, to citizenship. Judge Arnold had arrived at a conclusion similar to that of Judge Yerkes. Judge Arnold replied that baving consulted the act of 1882 he was regretfully forced to the conclusion that Chinamen were not admissible to the rights of citizonship He made an order revoking the certificate and back, \$2,900 in full, 19 lay days. destroyed the paper.

NEW YORK, 21st October. A dispatch from London says :- The Paris P. C. Lyons saw the defendant walking in Figure contains a column interview with James cable shall be opened by July.

LONDON, 21st October. A dispatch announces that a treaty of peace has been signed between Chili and Peru. LIMA, 21st October.

- A bulletin of the Diario Official announces the signing of a treaty of peace last night at Annon, Ohun A I, coolie, was charged with having between the representative of the Chilian go-LIMA, 22nd October.

The Minister of War, it is said, will devote all NEW YORK, 22nd October. Henry Irving and Ellen Terry were besieged

with friends ? I am very much pleased so far The interviews published with me. I think the NEW YORK, 23rd October.

Advices from Port-au-Prince say: -Order has been completely restored here: 1,500 lives were lost and damage to the extent of \$40,000,000 was done during the recent massaore. The Haytian war steamer Dessalines has arrived under the American dag. In the attack on Mitagaone the government troops were repulsed with severe loss, and General Piquent was mortally wounded. QUBBEC, 23rd October.

The Marquis of Lanadowne has been sworn Chan Asu, coclie, was convicted of stealing into office with considerable nomp and ceremony.

Paris, 23rd October. The Yellow Book recounts the operations of from the sers of a woman named Li Wal Kam, at the French forces in Tonquin, and says their positive the materially improved. They can

now move freely to all parts of the Red river delta and hold all the strategic points in that territory. The mandarins who resist French authority will be removed by the Envoys of the King of Annam, and the people are regaining confidence. The Annamite troops are disbanding and the Black Flags have retreated. The French army now only awaits reinforcements to SIR, In your issue of this morning you complete the pacification of the country. The published a long and interesting letter signed Book also gives at length the details of the negotia-"Justitla" setting forth the qualifications of tions with China, which have been conducted, it each of the four gentlemen. Mesure. Jackson, says, in good temper on both sides, France firmly glaughter of a coppersmith in Queen's road West. MacEwen, Sessoon, and Belilies, as to who are demanding non-interference of China in Lonquin was first brought up. He had no reason to give most eligible to represent the public in the affairs and the withdrawal of her troops from the as to why sentence should not be passed upon Council. Conceding a seat to Mr. Jackson and country, and China indicating her willingness to him, but he said that he had not intended to kill the other to an Indian merchant, "Justitia" come to some arrangement, but declining to so. the man, and his death was the result of an sums up in favour of Mr. Belilios as the re- sede to the demands of France. In the presentative of the Indian interest, at the same course of the negotiations with China, which Cheung Alung, manager of the coppersmith's time he admits that Mr. Belilies has not always were thrice broken off, M. Lacour observed shop, gave the deceased a good character, and run with public opinion. "Justitia" has very that the presence of Chinese troops in Tonsaid be had not appeared quarrelsome. Copper. delicately described Mr. Belilios's position with quin, whatever mighty be the motive, ensmiths were not in the habit of wearing any pieces regard to the public. To my knowledge it has couraged and assisted the enemies of France, coppersmiths whops usually were semething of oured him the favour of Sir John Pops Hennessy, of the Government of China to the consethe kind to scrape their heads with, or to olean who placed him in the Council. If "Justitia" quenoes and to the danger of a conflict between wishes to see the Council represented for the France and China. The Government of China His Lordship said that according to the general interest, he should recommend a gentle- submitted proposals involving the evacuation of prisoner's own adminsion he had challenged the man who does run with public opinion. Mr. Touquia by French troops, the maintenance of the deceased to fight, and went out into the street Sassoon's popularity not being questioned in this sovereignty of China over the territory and the with him for that purpose. He said the accessed and other respects, his claim is by far superior opening of certain towns to the benefits of trade, was too strong for him, but the medical evidence to that of Mr. Belilios to a seat in the Council; These proposals were rejected by France. Counterproposals were submitted by France on stronger man, and even if he had not been, he Indian community will be against Mr. Belilies's the 15th of September, for a neutral zone between China and Tonquin. This proposition was declined by China on the 15th October, to at Government declaring she would accept a neutral some only on the southern, instead of the northern, frontier of Tonquio, while it was stated that she was also willing to make arrangements for opening the Red river delta to trade. The Yellow Book concludes as follows:-Thus China demands the whole of Northern Annam, and French evacuation thereof, allowing us only the a more just view of the matter, especially when more severe! than the one he was now about | I hear from I chang that a monument has late. | she sees the moderate but still resolute policy to pass. The prisoner had taken the deceased's ly been erected there to the memory of a young of the French Government supported by the Chambers of the country.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

MONDAY, 26th November. Sales of Patna at \$565 for drug of 76 touch

心といけんりひむ。 Ом Lонрон.— Bank Bills, on demand...... Bank Bills, :: 80 days' sight, 3/98 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/8? Credits, at 4 months' sight ... 3.89 Documentary Bills, at 4 months'

Bank Bills, on demand4.62 Credits, at 4 months' sight......4.71

Bank, might72 Private, 30 days' sight..........79

SHARES. Iongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares (Cam-New Issue)-184 per cent, premium. Inion Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-**\$**620 per altere. 🕟

hina 'fraders' Insurance Company's Shares— \$71 per share. Vorth Chine Insurance—Tls. 1,350 per chare. Cancisse Insurance Association—Tis. 1,000 per

Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$200 per On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 148 por share. Cauton Insurance Office. Limited-3115 per

longkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares— \$357% per share. hiaa Fire Insurance Company's Shares-874 longkong and Whampes Dock Company's Shares-57 per cent, premium longkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s

Shares—\$51 premium. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-20 per cent. discount. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited, -10 per cent. premium. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-382 per

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$150 per China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$139 China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-2 per cent. premium.

agent, Mr. Snethlage, at the expense of that Luzon Sugar Rofining Company, Limited-383 Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$150 per Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$82 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874—Nominal,

Thinese Imperial Loan of 1877-Nominal. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-2 percent, prem. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881-1 per cent. From. CHARTERS EFFECTED. The following settlements are taken from

Mesere. Strik & Lamus's Freight Circular:-Hindoo-German bark, 511 tons, hence to Channel for order one port United Kingdom, private terms.

Lilly Grace-Hawaiian bark, 512 tons, to San Francisco, private terms.

Nardoo-British bark, 379 tons, Singapore to Manseritins, Planks, Re. 15 per ton.

Bothwell Castle-British bark, 592 tons, Singapore o Mauritius, Planks, Rs. 124 per ton. Francisca—German bark, 368 tone, to Quinhon and back, \$1,710 in full, 28 lay days. Europa—German steamer, 1,003 tone, Saigon to Hongkong (re-charter), 11½ cents per pical, 81ay days, Ocean—British steamer, 1,039 tone, to Saigon and back, \$4,350 in full, 15 lay days, Saigon to Hongkong (re-charter), 10 cents per pical, 7 lay days, Atalanta—German steamer, 786 tone, to Saigon and back, \$2,000 in full, 19 lay days.

Olympia-German steamer, 783 tons, to Saigon and back, \$2,600 in full, 13 lay days, C. T. Hook-British steamer, 992 tons; Saigon to Sourabaya, 20 cents per picul, 10 lay days.

Massalia—German steamer, 1,262 tons, Nagasaki Hongkong, \$1.70 per ton. Vortigern-British steamer, 879 tons, monthly charter. three months, \$4,250 per month. Alwine German steamer, 400 tons, monthly charer, eight months, \$2,150 per month.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE FROM MERIES PALCON HR & Co.'s RESISTER. November 26th.

Chermometer-1 F.M. Thermometer-9 A.M. (Wot bulb)....... Thermometer-1 p.w. (Wet build)..... Thermometer + P.M. (Wet bulb)...... Thermampian Westman forer mights therease

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. November Eith.

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NEWS FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

THE PROPOSED PUBLIC PARK AT WONG NEI CHEONG.

were not a few of the more recent arrivals who would have vastly preferred seeing the memorial take the form of a Kennedy Park.

THE GOVERNMENT AND THE CITY HALL.

conditions to it, until Sir John Pope Han- be fully realised, and that the Hongkong no such surrender of the suzerain rights of the latter firmly but politely declined to do. NESSY unearthed what he was pleased to con- Humans Society's medals may become coveted the Emperor as they had tacitly admitted by It seems that the Japanese Consul at Fusan visitors to the museum and for the preservation of order rules had been enforced setting aside certain separate times for Chinese, foreign, and Chinese female visitors. In In speaking thus the Chairman echoed that assumes a superiority it is unable to not refuse to open it as an international stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats, which are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats and the principal stars or medats and the principal stars or medats are to be awarded for including the principal stars or medats are to be awarded for including the principal stars o regarded as a valuable educational agency, point at which we started, the new departure cupation of a territory carries with it in placing before the view of the Chinese she has struck out in her relations with those ordinary course the control of the waterways numerous articles with which it is desirable states which really acknowledge her as intersecting that country; it is only in exthey should become acquainted, but which suzerain. In the days anterior to the con- ceptional cases, such, for instance, as in that they would not have an opportunity of see- clusion of treaties with Western Powers the of the free navigation of the Danube, and the Tonquin has sent a special delegate to represent ing or inspecting otherwise. It is to be Emperor of China was acknowledged as Suez Canal, that this is not so. The effect of the new French possession at the Calcutta exregretted that the lack of funds has suzerain chief by Korea, Liuchiu, Annum, Mr. Colqunoun's proposal we take to be that hibition

A BENEVOLENT GIFT.

However, it was impossible, after communi- existed for some nine years, and though it has breach of contract in refusing to conform is in question, other interests have some agood, honest, and straightforward Governor. last twelve months has practically been mori- new, and probably a truer, appreciation of sessions. Hence England has a great interground and lay it out will not, we believe, have upon their time and attention. The in their conceit, deemed objects of pity Tonquin question this point has hardly rebe very large, while the outlay will be a most praiseworthy nature of the Society's aim, and contempt, are far ahead of them in the ceived the attention it deserves. judicious one, and one that the Colony the saving of life and property affoaty is, how- arts both of peace and war, that they are as can well afford. Time was when Happy ever, well calculated to enlist the sympathy powerful as they are rich, that they are as JAPANESE AND CHINESE AT FUSAN, Valley was regarded as rather out of the of the benevolent, and we hope that a muni- energetic as they are intelligent. As a matway, but in these days of jinrickshas distance ficent gift just bestowed upon it will revive ter of course, the ingrained vanity of the is no longer a consideration, as the Valley can the interest once taken in it by the members. Chinese mandarin will not allow him to conbe reached from the Clock Tower in a quarter Mr. E. R. Belillos has, we hear, presented less all this, but the unwelcome truth has, of an hour, and when the Tramways are the sum of \$2,000 to be placed in trust, the | we are confident, been borne in upon the running it will be still more easily accessible, interest of which is to be expended every Peking Government that the fancied supre-The great increase in the number of year in the purchase of silver medals or stars macy of the Dragon Throne is a myth, and young natives of the Colony also renders it to be called the Hongkong Humane Society's that if China can aspire to any position it firm of Tick Hing & Co., a branch of the welladditionally desirable that the means of re- medals or stars (whichever may be decided can only be that of a principal Asiatic power. creation should be extended, and we hope upon), and these are to be given for con- Beyond this, however, there is the danger in the future to see the Portuguese and Chi- spicuous gallantry, devotion, or self-denial which the last few years have revealed to the lease having been obtained previously from the ness youth emulating those of European shown in saving life affoat or ashore in Chinese of the sacred soil of the eighteen prodescent in manly outdoor sports. To some Hongkong or in the Hongkong, Canton, or vinces being some day hemmed in and general store; this they did after calling on Mr. extent this has been the case, more especially Macao waters, or on the coast as far north pressed upon by restless and powerful Euamong the Portuguese, who now take part as Foochow or as far south as Hainan. The ropean neighbours. Already China has been in the annual Juvenile Athletic Sports, medal may also be presented for saving life obliged to yield a slice of Manchuria to and we shall probably, when the Park si at a fire in the Colony, or in a quarrel or Russia, and the Chinese Government watch opened, soon see a Portuguese Cricket Club fight in the street or elsewhere. It is fur- with secret alarm every move of their rapain full swing. The Park will, also, no doubt ther stipulated that the modals shall be clour northern neighbour, whose subsequent prove an attractive place of resort to the in- awarded irrespective of rank, race, or na- acquisition of Sighalien served to deepen habitants generally, and allure them more fre- tionality, and upon the recommendation of the distrust felt of her intentions. When, quently than is now their wont from counting- their Excellencies the Governor of Hong- two or three years ago, it was rumoured that subsequent to this, a Japanese presented himself house, office, and shop. We can confidently keng, the General Commanding the Troops, the Russian Government were casting covernment were casting cover lasting boon to the people of a city which China. In the event of any of the medals apprehensions were felt in Peking lest the Chinese called and was or lored by the Consul to apoplexy. Mr. Hayward came out some years ago bas exceptionally few outlets, and where the not being awarded for gallantry, it is the Hermit Kingdom, isolated and defenceless as shut up his bonse at once and to leave the port walks, beautiful as they are, necessarily wish of the donor that they shall be distit was, should fall, piecemeal, into the maw by first steamer; in reply, the representative of

A. LISTER, Colonial Treasurer, have consent- the expulsion of the Japanese Embassy in and at 8 p.m. several of them entered the house, be adopted, and the new recreation ground ed to act as Trustees. The idea of making July, 1882, was followed by the despatch of and threatened not only to smash up the goods the above praiseworthy gift was first formed a Chinese force to Korea, the capture and con- of the Chinese, but also to eject them from the premises at four o'clock, and conveyed by men by Mr. BELILIOS when the Princes Albert veyance of the Dai In Kun to China, and the premises. With much difficulty they were lately employed under the deceased to the hearse, VICTOR and GEORGE of Wales visited the advice-almost given as a command—to the persuaded to desist, which, however, was on the A funeral procession then formed up of the gaol Colony, when he submitted it to Governor King of Korra to make treaties with foreign HENNESSY, only the medals were then to be instions, and open the country to foreign morrow. The Chinese opened as usual the next The report presented to the shareholders in called after the Princes, but as this scheme trade. The Peking Ministers were wise day, but have since been so troubled by the and subscribers to the City Hall again raises was found impracticable, it was relinquished enough to foresee that the very insulation of Japanese, and so annoyed by the receipt of inthe question of the Government grant to that until a more favourable opportunity offered. Korea might form a temptation to an aguseful and essentially public institution. Mr. Bellitos thinks that by associating his gressive power to pick a quarrel with her, Japan, that they sent a letter to Mr. Miyamoto, Formerly the Government contributed the medals with the Humane Society he may not The policy of intervention thus tried in stating that they looked to him for protection not very munificent but nevertheless useful only provide an incentive to exertions in the Korea was next attempted in Annam. But sum of \$600 per annum to the funds of the work of saving life, but also give a fillip to the cases are not parallel, and the Chinese result of this letter has been than the Consul has Hall. No one thought of objecting to this a somewhat sleepy though deserving Society. Government have begun rather awkwardly ignored its contents, and personally called and modest grant, or of attaching impossible We sincerely trust that his anticipations may to realise the fact. In Korea they had made ordered the Chinese to shut their doors, which

CHINA AND HER TRIBUTARIES.

these rules the late Governor professed to contains an article by Mr. G. Jaminson on Peking Government would never have trou- existed, to have force as regards other nations, if find a race distinction, and demanded its re- "The Tributary Nations of China" which is bled itself with the dispute between To Duo has to be published; and he also appears to have moval. As the Committee could not, having of decided interest at a moment when the and France. No better proof of this is overlooked the point that the particulars of in view the welfare of the institution, submit Peking Government are making such a dis- needed than the proposal of the Chinese such as agreement should have been made clear to the chinese to the Chine to his dictation as to the rules, he withdrew tinet departure from the policy anciently pur- Ambassador Tamo that France should an- to the Chinese as soon as they called at the Conthe grant, after having vainly endeavoured to sued by the H'wang-ti towards vassal states. nex Annam, and resign Tonquin to China. establish a right on the part of the Govern- Mr. Jamieson details all the tributary states History is full of surprises, and not the least silence, and then had the audacity to order them ment to exercise a control over the man- as given by Chinese records, and among of those of modern days has been the sudden off just as soon as a few jealons pediars com- of the capital, Jenchasp. On the 11th October agement of the affairs of the Hall. Since then the general reader will doubtless be awakening of the old Dragon, and the exhi- plained to him about opposition. the institution has been carried on without surprised to find Great Britain mentioned. bition of his claws. What will be the issue If the Consul forcibly closes Messre. Tick with the flag of His Excellency P, von newal of the Government grant, in order Embassy of that date is referred to]. In intends in future to have a say in matters by certain classes of the community is amply lie in the south-western sea." The other present moment. testified by the fact that no less than 172,579 nations referred to were Holland, Portugal, persons visited it between July 1st, 1882, and Italy, who are said to have sent tribute and June 30th, 1883. Of these, 162,088 to Peking in 1654, 1670, and 1725 respect were Chinese, thus showing clearly that the tively. The latter was evidently a religious rules which are in force relating to admis- mission from Pope BENEDICT XIII., but the The terms suggested by Mr. Conqueous sions are not unpopular or unnecessarily envoys of the two former countries really for the settlement of the Franco-Chinese diffi-The Chairman, in addressing did, Mr. Jaminson, thinks, perform the ko- culty with reference to Tonquin, are :--(1) the meeting on Wednesday, said :- "The tow. The Chinese endeavour, by a suggestio The opening of the Sougkoi to international time, I think, is rips when we may ask the falsi, to make it appear that Lord Macant- commerce from the sea to Yunnan; (2) life in events. On the 18th inst. His Excellen-Government to review its relations to the ner and the members of his suite paid French occupation of Annam, including the cy Sir George Bowen met with an accident. Two days later, again, another powerfol ship of following facts are submitted for consideration:

To illustrate the vast accept at the work, the dispensable in every mercanine under the following facts are submitted for consideration:

For East and will be found a useful vade meaning. City Hall. We are shortly to have a resimilar homage to the Emperor, but this has delta of Tonquin; (3) the neutral zone (the falling from his horse, but fortunately sustained wer appeared, H.B.M.'s Sapphire with the flag Chaimers' Vocabulary contains about 16,000 expect from the popular and elective mem- implied, never expressly stated, in Chinese China and Tonquin) to be occupied and adbers an expression of the public opinion on records, the object merely being to deceive ministered by China, the delimitation of the subject, and we also have a Governor—the Chinese people. The lefty pretensions frontier to be executed by a commission ap- to Admiral Willes and Admiral Meyer in the of guapowder was spent at this port, in honour ters. Again, despite all the grammars and to whom the question must be referred—on of the Son of Heaven, so long and persever- pointed by the European powers. The same command of the English and Franch Squadrons of H. M. the Emperor of Japan, it being the other elementary works as yet published, the may rely. I hope the forthcoming year will the light of nineteenth century know- from which we quote the above :- "It is said essentially public institution will receive, at no distant date, and they certainly now a strong Western power, and I am sure what it is entitled to, public support." serve merely to raise a smile at the arregance France does not propose this, but China can-

the museum from being Nanchang, a Lactian state, Siam, Sulu, and the Red River should be placed on a similar made as useful and attractive as it might Burmah. Tribute was also sent, though Mr. footing to the Danube. This would be a be, and it can only be looked upon as a Jamieson does not mention the fact, by satisfactory arrangement of the difficulty so public disgrace that the Government of Nepaul and, if we mistake not, Thibet. The far as England is concerned, but we question the Colony should withhold all support from latter country is now, however, a dependent whether either France or Coins would agree

become somewhat monotonous by reason of tributed amongst deserving scholars in girls' of the Great Bear. And truly there seemed Messrs. Tick Hung & Co. said he could not their scarcity. Governor Bowen will merit schools in Victoria, the selection of schools ground for fear. It was under that dread, do so, and that he would appeal to the the sincerest thanks of the people of Hong- to which such prizes are to be awarded to be we think, that China was induced to make kong if he obtains for them this valuable left to the discretion of the Trustees. We the first departure from her traditional institution, and it would be a graceful act, understand that the Hon. P. Ryrie, Presi- policy of non-intervention with tributary premises, threatened the occupants, and orderand a well merited compliment, if, in ac- dent of the Humane Society, and the Hon. States. The outbreak in Seoul, followed by ed them to shut up business in Fusan at once;

acquiescing in the Treaty of 1874 between objects to the presence of Chinese merchants, on France and Annam. They have asserted the grounds that in the settlement of Fusan it is their rights in Tonquin too late in the day agreed between Japan and Kerea that only Jato get them respected. It is notorious that But Mr. Miyamoto forgets that even if such The current number of the China Review had Tonquin not bordered on Yunnan the agreement (a thing which we very much doubt)

THE FRENCH AND THE RED RIVER TRADE.

visited last year, as stated in the report, by her rule as Kashgaria or Mongelia. The trade of all nations provided she is allowed Swatow on the 20th inst. The British gunboat and several hours were spent at a solver, which no less them 162,088 Chinese, as against principal tributaries were Korea, Annam, to take Tonquin, but if this provise be not Swift arrived here on the 22nd from Pakhol. 10,491 persons of other nationalities, so that Siam, and Burmah. The tie between these conceded, she will probably do all in her the grant cannot reasonably be withheld on countries and the Central Kingdom was power to restrict the navigation of the river. the grant cannot reasonably be withheld on countries and the Countries and the ground that the Chinese do not enjoy always more one of sentiment than anything France, on the other hand, has undertaken who was a Swede, was a very old resident in this their fair share of the benefits of the institut. else. As Mr. Jaminson says, it is not easy alone the task of opening up Tonquin and. Colony, and had seen some ups and downs of fortion. With regard to the rules in force in to see what advantage the tributaries gained the Red River; she will maturally keep tune, having at one time been a prosperous reference to the times of admission, no from the connection. "Doubtless there was only her own interests in view, and, when merchant. unprejudiced person can find in them any a feeling of greater security and comfort in she has settled with China, will endeavour trace of an invidious distinction of race, being under the wing of their powerful to make the trade which will spring up re-There is a distinction, it is true, but it oper- neighbour, but it, did not prevent internal pay her for the outlay she; has incurred. ates to the equal advantage of all and can revolutions nor border wars. Two revolutions This is a point of vital importance for Enggive offence to none. During certain hours occurred in Annam, in both of which the land, and especially for this colony and the museum is set apart for Chinese, and reigning king, though formally invested by Singapore. The French possess Coshinthey can enjoy themselves there without any China, was deposed without an effort being China, which they have acquired at conrisk of annoyance from any rosedy individuals made by her on behalf of her protegé. She siderable cost of men and money, but French of other nationalities who might bring about seems to have looked quietly on until the trade in that country is very small indeed. awkward collisions if all were admitted in- contending parties had fought it out and then The imports are almost exclusively of discriminately. The projudices of the Chinese welcomed and granted investiture to the English origin, while the only export of imare so far further respected that a special time | conqueror in just the same spirit as she had | portance is rice, which is shipped chiefly to is set apart weekly for Chinese females, who previously shown to the deposed king." Java, the Philippines, Singapore, and are thus relieved from any risk of being made When the French went to war with Annam, Hongkong. The articles of import are the objects of an offensive curiosity on the and compelled Tu Due to sign the Treaty of obtained chiefly from the two last-named Baugkok, encountering a severe typhoon between part of soldiers, sailors, or other foreigners. 1874, which placed his country under the colonies, there being no direct skip- the parallels of 15 and 16 degrees N. latitude in Seeing that so much is conceded to the one protection of France, thus surrendoring his ments worth speaking of, and hence the the vicinity of the Macclesfield Bank. The heavy side it is only fair that Europeans should be independence, China made no sign. When great stake we have in the settlement of this sees that broke over the vessel washed away two allowed the use of the museum at certain England divided up Burmah, and left the affair. Hitherto free trade has provailed, times without being brought into contact King of Ava only a remnant of his former but the French now seem inclined to reverse with a crowd of Chinese, amongst the ruck dominions, China gave no sign of dissatisfac- the existing order of things, and to establish of whom, it must be admitted, there may tron. When the Sultan of Sulu ceased to differential import, duties with the view of often be observed something to offend a render tribute, and more recently surrender- encouraging French manufactures at the Brereton, Wotton, and Dencou, was admitted to The proposal of His Excellency the Goven- European sense of the proprieties. The ed, for a consideration, his possessions in expense of those of other countries. So far practice in Hongkong as a solicitor and attorney, non that a Public Park should be formed in convenience of all races is thus fully pro- Borneo Com- as Cochin-China is concerned France has on the motion of the Attorney-General, the Hon. Wong Nei-cheong will, we are sure, meet vided for while the rules inflict hardship on pany, China expressed no displeasure. When a right to adopt what course she pleases, E. L. O'Malley. The necessary affidavits, and with the heartiest approval of the entire none; and it may be further remarked that the King of Six, some years ago, neglected and however mistaken a protective policy of entired and by the Master of the Rolls Colony. Sir Gronge Bowen holds strongly while in point of numbers the Chinese make to pay the accustomed tribute. China did would be other nations can claim no say Colony. Sir Gronge Bowen holds strongly while in point of numbers the Chinese make to pay the accustomed tribute, units are visual and and would be other manufacture. Units are visual and and would be other manufacture and and would be other manufacture. On the 18th instant there was another sense hundred of the coldiers were to be taken from the thought and the sense makes the mistake of preceding the death of Sa-Pa-tom. There were to be several European. to the belief that every city should have its a much greater use of the museum little more than grunt ner disapproval. In the matter. In ner present commander, the first should have its a much greater use of the museum little more than grunt ner disapproval. In the matter. In ner present commander, the first should have its a much greater use of the museum little more than grunt ner disapproval. In the matter. In ner present commander, the first should have its a much greater use of the museum little more than grunt ner disapproval. In the matter. In ner present commander, the first should have its a much greater use of the museum little more than grunt ner disapproval. In the matter, and the mistake of preceding two children and nearly that of their mother. The officers. Important noblemen will accommand and he is a warm advecate of any improvement | the bulk of the subscriptions are con- Minister at Peking addressed the Taung-li instead of following the track of commerce; latter is the wife of a lime burner at Deep Water the expedition, with a train of retainers, who that tends to render life thore agreeable in tributed by Europeans. Under these cir- Yamen urging the opening of Korea to trade, she has done so in Cochin-China, and not Bay, and was found by her husband in the arms will be responsible for the atores. this semi-tropical city. There has for some cumstances we fail to see that by renewing the latter replied that the peninsular king. finding the natural return which England of a neighbouring grass-cutter. She alleged that time past been a growing desire on the part its former grant the Government would in dom was free to act as she chose, both in obtains from her colonies, she is casting about the grass-cutter was assaulting her against her of the residents that the beautiful valley out any way be londing its countenance to object ternally and externally, and that China had for extraordinary means of recouping herself, will, and the man has been sent to gaol for East should be utilised for purposes of recreationable class distinctions, and we trust that not been wont to interfere. The inference for the cost her possessions entail. So far tion, the Cricket Ground being very small and Sir George Bowen may be able to place the from all this is, as Mr. Jamreson putait, that she has taken no decided step in this direction, to have driven her to desperation, so that the Parade Ground constantly required for the necessary sum for this purpose on the next the relationship of suzerain and vastal was tion, but present indications point to the proshe attempted to drown herself in the harbour use of the military. Thus, when it was first estimates, and to renew the grant provision. a relationship at will merely. It was begun bability of her doing so. Elsewhere we re- and was only rescued when nearly drowned. Her at will, continued at will, and therefore it print anarticle translated from a Saigon paper, two children were found dead in the water by would follow was terminable at will which gives the French view of the subject. her side, and she is now charged with causing "Neither side had pledged itself to do any- What France seems inclined to do in Cochin- their death, but as yet no syidence has been The Hongkong Humane Society has now ly, could not be regarded as guilty of any When, however, a great natural waterway chison, which arrived here on the 22nd inst. cating the decision of the public meeting to not had much opportunity of justifying its any longer to the traditional usage." And right to claim consideration. As soon as the British steamer Iolani on the island of Tablas. Miss Kennedy, even if the subscribers had raison d'être, owing to the fortunate immu- this continued to be the relationship between the Song-koi is rendered safe, a considerable The Captain (Wallace) and part of the orew ginal intention, and the statue will be erected its members have on the occasion of several But, as we have said, a change has come spring up, provided that it be fairly treated. instant, just before the Ametica sailed, so that in due course and long remain to record the gales done good service. Nevertheless the over the spirit of Chinese diplomacy. The The bulk of the trade will be in goods of we are unable to obtain fuller particulars,—The appreciation by the citizens of Hongkong of Society has languished somewhat, and for the rulers of China have suddenly woke up to a English origin or destined for English pos-

The Nagasaki Rising Sun says :- We are nedy in her loss :informed that the Japanese in Fusan have lately attempted a most unjustifiable outrage upon some Chinese residents in that part of known establishment of Kung Hing & Co., of Japanese householder), the main street of Fusan, a Mr. Miyamoto received them in a friendly manner.

and in no way objected to their presence in Fusan. Messra. Kung Hing & Co. altered the house, -which had been reuted for them on a lease of six months, -to suit their trade, and opened for Korean authorities at once. During the course condition that they would suffer on some future

Mr. Hayward, Acting Superintendent of Victo. voted to the purchase yearly of medels or stare ships of war Seiki Kan, Supphire and Leipzig have one general meaning. Of these examples Swarow Messre Campbell & Co. Training is going on steadily for the Regatta, banner of Dai Nippon over their houses, understand nothing but Chinese. In this respect the Cricket match Ireland v. The World, at three Japanese sailing vessels in the inner har the work will be found indispensable to all ter an exciting two days' play, was drawn. The bour were most tastefully decked all over with Europeans residing in China, and to the natives Loftus Troute have arrived from Japan and flags and flowers, and made a very pleasing and themselves it explains subjects fully with which According to an article in the Saigon In-

dépendant, Cambodia, which is now under French

We regret to have to record the death of Mr. Frederick Degensor, which occurred early with regard to their experience in the newly on the morning of the 23rd inst. Mr. Degenser, opened country. Mercury Correspondent. His Excellency the Governor has appointed

Mr. J. P. Motigen. Assistant Harbour Master. to be Acting Superintendent of Victoria Gael arrival of the trained Superint adent who is

to be lieutenants; and Dr. W. S. Adams to be effectually adjusted. Surgeon-Major of the corps. The steamer Danube, which arrived here on the

of the graw, who were drowned, and did considerable damage to the ship. At the Supreme Court, on the 20th inst.

Sir George Bowen, with his quick per- bund. Bearing in mind the excellent object events transpiring beyond the borders of their est at stake and is justified in using her influits yet known as to her fate. Vessels have arrivception of the public wants, has; however, for which the Society was formed, it is to be self-styled Central Kingdom. They have ence in the direction of having the navigation ed from, and gove to, Iloile, but none have seen intimated his intention of beloing forward regretted that public interest in it should learned, since they despatched Ambassadors of the Songkoi thrown open to all nations any vestige of the said vessel, which has 1,500 THE CHUNG NGOI BAN PO the realisation of the wish for a Park er. have waned so signally, but the fact is per- to Europe and America, that China is not and free of any discriminatory dues in favour tons of engar on board, and is consigned to pressed both through the Press and other- baps hardly to be wondered at when it is re- the world, that the Western states, the homes of the goods of one country to the exclusion Mesers. Ker & Co. She was to have come to wise. The amount required to drain the membered how many claims the community of the outer barbarians" they had so long, of those of others. In the discussion on the Manila to complete her cargo."—The Iolani was a new vessel of 981 tons, and only arrived out in Chine in August last.

The subjoined letter has been received from Miss Kennedy in reply to a resolution voted at a meeting of the senior scholars at the Government Central School and forwarded to London with an expression of sympathy with Miss Ken-

32, Belgrave Square, London, S.W. DEAR SIR.—I assure you that the kindly expression of regret felt by the senior boys of the Hongkong Central School upon hearing of the death of my father, Sir Arthur Kennedy, which you enclose to me, has touched me deeply

Kobe, set up in No. 5, Hom-machi (six months' father took the deepest interest, and I hope you will all know that it was no fault of his or your able Bur-Miyamoto, the Acting Cousul-General for Japan, veyor-General that masters and boys were not long and informing him of their intention to establish ago in a more salubrious and commodious building. themselves in this part of Koroa. It seems that and one more worthy of generous Hongkong.—Believe me, yours faithfully, Georgina M. Kennedy.

We regret to have to record the sudden death of Mr. Geo. Hayward, Acting Superintendent of Victoria Gool. Mr. Hayward had been suffering from low fever for a day or two, and was in as warden of the gool, and since Mr. Tonnoohy's death, and on one occasion previously, has acted as Superintendent. He was held in high esteem by all who knew him, whether officially or privately, and his death will be deplored by a large circle f friends. He leaves a wife and five children. The funeral took place the following afternoon. The respect in which Mr. Hayward was held was evident from the number of friends who followed his remains to their last resting place. The corpse was taken from the Gael officials, police, and private friends, and amongst those following we noticed the Hon. Dr. Stewart, the Hon. A. Lister, and the Hou. J. M. Price, Capt. Thomsett, the Colonial Surgeon, Capt.

MACAO.

by the Rev. J. Colville.

long talked of class manufactory at Macao, Australian Colonies, the Eastern States, and which will be one of the largest in the Far East, Europe. Files of nearly every Newspaper pubhas just obtained the Royal Charter, and the lished on the Pacific Coast are kept constantly erection of suitable buildings on the site near the on hand, and all Advertiser are allowed free The issue for 1893 which is the Barra Fort will at once be proceeded with. By secess to them during business hours. charter, we are informed, several special privileges are conceded to the enterprising capitalists, which will, no doubt, encourage other industries rised to receive Advertisements. in the Holy City. The Lisbon Government seem now to be opening their eyes to the necessity of facilitating legitimate trade in their possessions.

KOREA.

JENCHUAN, November.

Ensage Kores, which is only some 150 miles to has siready designated him as the future the N. W. of this place.

British Minister to this country; it would of body, thereby effecting a vast economy of Mar Day Tag Town And Environs or certainly be very doubtful if a better nomination space, achieving a clearness not previously Singapone. could possibly be made. On the 24th another attained, and dispensing with those vast margins ship of war put in an appearance, H.I.G.M.'s and vacant spaces which have heretofore charac-

pictures que impression. About 1 p.m. the Com- vory few indeed of them are perfectly acquainted. The Commissioner of the French Republic in manders of the ships of war in port, the Kores' To parties resident in England and interested

Superintendent of Trade, the Foreign Com. in China it cannot but be invaluable occasion. missioner of Customs and others, waited upon His Japanese Majesty's Cousul to congratulate, and they were afterwards entertained at a splendid quarto pages. luncheon, which lasted for several hours. During protection, is to be "assimilated" and little by the evening most of the foreign residents, the to Purchasers of SIX or more Copies. leading Japanese and the foosl Korean officials andly a description to be breaked and is practically as much under the class to the factor of the fa

for a long time to some will form one of the most interesting recollections of the residents,

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VLADIVOSTOCK. Information has (says the Nichi Nichi Shimvice Mr. George Hayward, deceased, until the bun) been received from Vladivostock announcling that a floating dock purchased in England being sent out by the Secretary of State for the lass lately arrived, and that two hundred and fifty men -Koreans, Manchurlans, and Japanese It is notified in the Gasette that His Ex- are employed in cetting it in proper position. cellenoy the Governor has made the follow. The work is expected to be completed before the ing appointments in the Hongkong Artillery end of this year. The construction of a torpedo Volunteers:—Dr. Jas. Stockwell to be a Cap- factory has been recently completed, and, on the tain; Mr. Alfred Woolley and Mr. H. J. Holmes whole, both military and naval affairs have been

BANGKOK. Our Bangkok correspondent, writing under late of the 10th inst., says there is no news of interest there. "The King and Court are away up the river, visiting the country temples. The weather is still misty and rainy. Prospects of Mr. Charles Ernest Bowles, who has lately ar- the rice grop are said to exceed any produced for some vears. Freights are advancing. Exchange on Hongkong 85 percent premium. Timber very / THE well-known STAR HOTEL with scarce, and, in consequence of a sudden fell in the river, likely to be high this season." The Siam Advertiser of the 10th inst. says | Failing | Itealth.

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the land frontiers of the Empire during the West River, give the name
trace occurred the fraction will be sure to obtain Singapore, and India, will be sure to obtain year 1882 was: imports, £5,341,136, an in. Sam-shui (three waters) to the place. Above extraordinary repairs being necessitated by typhoons further assistance from Mauchester, Liver-crease of £525,705; that of the exports, Sam-shui a stoppage might be made at the proof and Glasgow and will no doubt short. pool, and Glasgow, and will no doubt short24,658,111, a decrease of £489,669; or a total considerable trading town of Shau-Hing, Government Grant, in order that the usefulness of trade of nearly ten millions storling. This, thence after calling at the large town of Tak

F. BULKELY JOHNSON, Charman: railway which Mr. Conqueous proposes as the St. James's Gazette remarks, when Hing-chau, near which place a navigable that point it would run due south to the line from Maulmain, or rather from Martaban, which is on the opposite bank of the Salween. From Dongwoon, the line, now goon, would be carried to the junction of the Salwoon and Yunzaleen, and, crossing the Salween, would then go on to the river! Thoungyeen, which borders the Siamese Shan territory. The banks of this river would then be followed to the mouth of Mainglon-Chinese and Thibetan Authorities have done gyee, whence the line would be carried their utmost to been out the Indian traders vid Muang Haut to Zimme. From the water-shed of the Mepong and Me La, near Zimme, the line runs through an undulating chuen. The King of Burmah, moreover, East River districts to the eastward and the plain to King. Hai, near the boundary of who has always retained for himself the important and wealthy San-tak towns to the the Independent Shan territory. Theore, the bank of that stream to King I Hung, distant from Moulmain 625 miles, and from Esmok about 60 or 70 miles. The route is said to be a thoroughly practicable one, and Mr. Colounous, who is a civil engineer, save that no very serious obstacles would have to be overcome in its construction. In his recent work "Across Chrysé," Mr. Coloudoun thus sums up the reasons for and advantages to be derived from the projected railway:-

 That British Burman has increased enormously both in trade and population, since our acquirement 2.—That the great expansion of trade has occurred nince 1868, when the first great work for opening up the country, vis., the Irrawadi Flotilla Company, 3.—That no railway was opened in the province till

4.-That both the railway and the steamer com-5.—That the value of the railway system is now so not at all anxious for the Chinese people to sugar mart of the province. The vast empire public support. I ask you now gentlemen, to fully recognised, that within the last year private the report. firms have negotiated with Government for their ourchase, and the offer has been refused

7.—That any railway passing from west to east, 8.—That the railway now proposed from Rangoon with fewer and loss difficult obstacles than were ex-

9.—That the great want of Burmah is population.

10.—That not Indian immigration, but Chinese and Shan should be looked for. 11.—That the only way to encourage such immigra-

12.—That the Shan country per se is well worthy 13.—That the railway under discussion-would-not only open up the north of Siam, the Siamese and the he certainly would decline to do the bidding Independent Shan country, but also the richest part of Peking. Nevertheless, there are sure to

14. That experience has shown, in many quarters of the globe, but nowhere so markedly as in Burmah. for it will work such important results that new markets can be created; nations and tribes have to be trained to become buyers and sellers.
What are at first considered luxuries soon become,

15.—That the Shan race is a friendly, industrious, India and China will, through Burmab, be Mr. Colquioun shows very excellent grounds for his belief that the railway be proposes would pay. The province of Tenasserim, British Burmah, has made enorits development. mous progress during the last half century. The population has risen from 70,000 to 595,740, and the trade in similar or even TRADE greater proportion. The Irrawadi Flotilla Company, which, when formed in 1868, only possessed two or three old Government stenmers and flats, now owns 29 fine steamers and 44 flats. This fleet carries annually between British and Independent Burmah goods to the value of about three and a half millions sterling and some fifty thousand passengers. The Shan States have hardly, as yet, been tapped at all, and it is confidently believed that they only require some outlet in order to become large producers of various goods and consumers of foreign manufactured articles. The railway from Rangoon to Prome on the Irrawadia which was commenced in 1875 and opened to traffic in 1878, although labouring under the drawback of a deficiency in rolling stock, has returned 41 per cent. interest on capital, and will probably soon yield a much better dividend. It must be remembered also, that that line follows a route parallel with the Irrawadi, which is already well served by the Flotilla Company. The line projected by Mr. Conquinous to connect Maulmain with Yunnan will have no competing river; but will run through a country where there are neither navigable rivers nor good roads, where communication is slow and difficult, being effected either by means of elephants, pack animals, or on the shoulders of cooliss. There is every prospect of the railway proving remunerative even if it were dependent alone on the counbring a large population in the Shan States river) and its principal isometric bring a large population in the Shan States river) and its principal isometric bring a large population in the Shan States river) and its principal isometric bring a large population in the Shan States river) and its principal isometric bring a large population in the Shan States river) and its principal representation of the small percentage of potassa probably comes. Shanghal, having learned with regret that you wisiting Hongkong.

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THE PROJECTED RAILWAY FROM Yunnan. To those who have considered the inland navigation. In explanation of the

straight line to the latter place, where that the communities beyond the land from probably the most important trading centre The following are the repairs we have thought it it would cross the river Sittang. From tiers of India are generally barbarous and on the river, situated as it is at the mouth poor, while the frontiers themselves for the of the "Fu-ho" (sometimes called the "Castown of Sittang, and thence, via Kyke- most part consist of impassable mountains, sin River" which flows down past the capital also found to be in a thoroughly retten state. With ate cook houses and servants quarters, either in water has percolated, depositing various proto and Beeling, to Dongwoon, sixty miles Were the communications improved, there city of Kwei-chau, to which point the stream these exceptions the whole of the woodwork is at flank or rear, and are all situated on slight em. duets of the reactions set up by its percolation from Martaban. Here it would be met by a could, doubtless, be a considerable trade de- is navigable) and below the junction of the present sound. veloped between India and China. But the two main feeders of the West River-the Wat communications are exceedingly difficult, Kong (melancholyriver) up which Mr. CoLouand both Independent Burmah and China Houn travelled, and the still more important connected with both Maulmain and Ran-I throw all possible obstacles in the way of an affluent the HungShui-kong (red waterriver). increase of trade. "In Thibet, again, trade is Ng-chau is admirably adapted to be the cenprohibited; and with the remaining countre of a great inland traffic, which, were it tries there is little scope for developing not for the narrow minded and obstructive state of the walls, &c., in the inhabited part of the shed is constructed over the mouth of a ventilate greenish grey tinge, caused probably by ferrous commerce." Formerly there was a consider- policy of China's maladministrators, the place basement; we also think that something should be ing shaft which is being sunk down into the carbonate or a trace of hydrona magnesian able trade growing up with Thibet, but the would undoubtedly possess. their utmost to keep out the Indian traders, between Hongkong and Canton, an arrangeprobably from the fear lest Indian tea ment might well be made for a stoppage at

monopoly of trade in his own dominions, westward, whencethe traffic might descend via crossing the Me Khok, it would follow has proved an impassable barrier to the the Tsun-chun creek to the stopping place or opening of communication with Yunnan, rendezvous at the Bogue. As an alternative while the Chinese Government have shown arrangement two lines of light draft steamers the utmost repuguance to any overland might ply between Tsun-chun, the town of trade route being established between India San-tak, capital of the district, and Hong- declining and that our cash reserve is steadily and China. It has always been the policy kong on the one hand, and another line up diminishing. The causes of this unsatisfactory of China to maintain, when possible, small | the East River via Tai-ping, Tung-kun city, tributary states on her borders so that they | Shek-lung, and Pok-lo to Kwei-shin and | I am greatly afraid that considering the depressed may act as buffers between her and the Wei-chau, two adjacent cities on the East larger powers whose frontiers lie beyond. River, beyond which the river is Thus she would fain preserve Tonquin from not navigable for vessels of any consider- we may ask the Government to review its relabecoming French, Korea from being swal- able size or depth of draught, on the other tions to the City Hall. We are shortly to have lowed up by Russis, and Independent Bur- hand. Of the several towns suggested as a reconstituted Legislative Council, and we may mah from falling under the dominion of the stopping places or ports of call the two most expect from the popular and elective mem-British Crown. These would be points of important are Tsun-chun to the westward, hers an expression of the public opinion on immediate contact with the "outer barba- and Shek-lung to the eastward; the former the subject, and we also have a Governor tien "which would unquestionably lead to in a great subsector and other produce. —to whom the question must be referred—on rian" which would unquestionably lead to is a great entrepot for rice and other produce progress in China through their means, by of the Shun-tak district, and the latter, rely. I hope the forthcoming year will see the gentle pressure of example if by no more situated on the East River, some twenty forcible means, and the Peking rulers are miles above the Bogue forts, is the great

6.—Thetrailway extension to South-west China has | that any attempt to make the railway pro- to be, yet does give occusional signs of a cercial bodies, and by the local Government administra. posed by Mr. Colqueoun will be discour- tain semi-dormant vitality, or as a well known aged at Peking, and it will probably not be poetical writer so truthfully puts it :-allowed to cross the Chinese frontier unless the Chinese mandarins fancy it may in any to King-hung is not only practicable, but will most way prove a check to the French movements in Cochin-China. The Sinusese Government And ere long we hope to see even China be- to the question of an efficient water supply, resi- at my disposal did not enable me to obtain more may also, of course, raise objections to the of STAM is an enlightened monarch who

would not care to create obstacles to a project calculated to improve the country, and be some obstacles to the scheme raised, that it is bound to excite a certain amount of opposition. But we feel confident that, before many years have passed,

large and direct trade must spring up between them, no matter how strong the discouraging influences that are at work against

PROSPECTS ON THE RIVERS OF SOUTH CHINA.

In preceding articles we have directed attention to Mr. Coronnoun's remarks on the the trade of Yunnan from the westward and southward vid India and British Burmah. Looking at matters from a Hongkong point of view, Mr. COLBORNE BABER'S observations on the same subject have, however, a report (published under the auspices of the Royal Geographical Society) on the trade, population, antiquities, industries, manners, and customs of the peoples inhabiting a portion of Szechuen and Yunnan, gether with some very valuable remarks on the physical and geological aspects of the country, forms the most interesting, the best told, and withal perhaps the most instructive volume of travels which has come under our cognisance for some time. BABER seems clearly of opinion that Hougkong, vid the Chu Kiang and West River, should be the terminus and principal entrepôt of trade in produce from Southern Yunnan. We have frequently called attention to the anathy displayed both by our merchants and officials touching the question of improved water communication on the noble network of great rivers, streams, and creeks which in various directions intersect the Kwangtung and Kwangei provinces, extending far into the heart of eastern Yun-

We have not the slightest doubt that a line of steamers similar to those now plying have actually found it more profitable to carry should be considered by contain consisted by the faces of about an inch in diameter with outling lime, and some colouring matter, hardness 6.5 chasses of the community is amply testified by the faces of about an inch and a half. The engine Sp. Gr. 2.75.

That the Museum is much appreciated by contain consisted by the faces of about an inch and a half. The engine Sp. Gr. 2.75.

Towards the other and of the tunnel, in the

As to the line of steamers already running should interfere with the brick to of Sze- the Bogue, to take up passengers from the who has always retained for himself the important and wealthy San-tak towns to the become indoctrinated with the spirit of re- of China, sluggish and torpid when regarded pass the accounts and adopt the report. form. There can be little doubt, we think, from a general point of view as it may appear

> The aluggish East upheaving Stirs with feverish unrest, Impulse 'gainst its will receiving From the forces of the West.

come alive to the necessity and advantage of dents will be glad to hear that the Tai-tam re- accurate statistics. The excavations for this railway running through the Shan States more rapid means of communication. How servoir is progressing with considerable rapidity, dam intersect the bed of a stream at right phant, but this is not so likely, for the King greatly this is needed will be better under. Doubtless had our able Surveyor-General had his sagges to its course and terminate in the steep stood when we mention that in districts on own way in the matter, the Colony would not declivities which rise from either side of the the East River within fifty miles of Hongkong rice occasionally cannot be procured at -less-than-three-to-four-dollars-per-piculwhich could be bought in Hongkong for half | Hongkon : is, on a steep declivity, is a matter of the amount.

THE HONGKONG CITY HALL.

The annual meeting of the shareholders in and subscribers to the City Hall was held in the the water from which will be conveyed throng brought into immediate contact, and that a library on the 14th instant. There were pre- a tunnel under the Wong-nei-cheong gap and sent :- Hon. F. B. Johnson (Chairman), Messrs, thence at a considerable elevation above the D. Ruttunjee, F. D. Sassoon, W. H. Forbes, H. highest buildings in the colony into the town L. Dalrymple, A. P. MacEwen, and H. L. Den- from the contward. My visit, made in the afternvs (Secretary).

The last annual meeting was hold on the 10th day

Mr. W. H. Forbes, having returned to the colony, consists of the Hon. F. B. Johnson (Chairman). feasibility of constructing a railway to tap Messrs. D. Battonice, F. D. Sassoon, W. H. Forbes, H. Hoppius, H. L. Dalrymple, and A. P. MacEwen. STATE OF THE BUILDING.

The Committee are glad to be able to state that, according to the architect's report; the building is in a antisfactory condition as far as white ants are con cerned. The damage done by these destructive in sects during the last twelve months has been restill more practical value. That gentleman's paired at a cost of about \$166, the smallest sum that has been expended on repairs from this cause for

The report of Mesers. Bird and Palmer, which annexed, shows that the woodwork of the building generally is also in a sound and satisfactory condition while the suggestions of the architects as to recolouring the interior of the theatre and white-washing the walls of the basement have, since the report was furnished, been carried into effect at an estimated expen-

THE THEATRE. The total amount earned by the lotting of the theatre amounted only to \$2,079.64 as against \$2,946.23 last year, thus showing a decrease from this source of income of \$866.59. The falling off appears to be explained by the fact that but one performance tive to enable them to make their stay here very exensive. The Italian Opera Company, which, in the senson 1880-81, Found that they drow erowded houses. during the last season could searcely command any a time when a large number of private entertain-

The tariff of charges for the Theatre, St. Andrew's Hall, &c., has been carefully considered by the Com-

The proprietors of the local papers, namely, the Ddily Press, the China Mail, the Hongkong Telegraph, and the Government Gasette, have again to be thanked for supplying copies of their respective journals to be kept on file in the Library.

treaty port of Pakhoi, than to pay the nu- tween July let, 1882, and June 30th, 1883. Of these, merous squeezes and exactions levied by the 102,083 were Chinese, thus shewing clearly that the We have referred at some length to its natural channel, the West River. With Considering that all the articles in the Museum mr. Colquadur secheme for bringing Bur- the advent of steamers, all or a greater part | part of the building is, in the opinion of the Communication with West- of these irregular exactions would cease, and mittee, in a fairly dourishing condition. About forty ern China by the construction of a railway hance the violent opposition offered by Chia new presentations have been made during the last cutting faces renewed. I his 36 does by lines of cleavage, presenting a strongly micro-

F. BULKELY JOHNSON, Charman:

BURYEY REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF THE In the basement, 10 floor joists were found attacked comfortable wooden houses, similar to the one

All the other floors have in their turn been examined theatre requires renewing. In the roofs, twelve purling have been changed.

All the rest of the timbers show no signs of the pre-Generally.—The building is in a most satisfactory condition, as far as white-ants are concerned, but we done in redecorating the theatre, the painting on the walls, do., being in many parts in a most dilapidated

. The following estimate [which amounts to \$166.61] for repairs found necessary after the above inspec- is indicated above ground by a number of little sion of the building.

BIRD & PAUMER, Surveyors, &c.

Hongkong, 25th July, 1883. The CHAIRMAN said-Gentlemen, the business we have to lay before you do-day, so far as the Committee is concerned, is of a purely formal character: it is simply to move that the report now laid on the table be adopted, and that the accounts for the last year be passed. You will, I am sure, regret with me that our revenue is state of things are alluded to in the report, and state of native trade we can hardly in the immediate future expect any great increase in the subscriptions. The time, I think, is ripe when whose impartiality and sense of justice we may grant renewed, and that this essentially public institution will receive, what it is entitled to,

This was all the business before the meeting. THE NEW WATERWORKS AT TAI

Mr. Formes seconded.

TAM: GEOLOGICAL NOTES. have been for so many years without an adequate water supply and efficient arrangements for supplying our numerous and powerful fire extinguisting apparatus which in a place situated as

paramount importance. By the courtesy of Mr. J. Orange, C.E., the resident engineer in charge, I have been enabled to inspect the works now so satisfactorily progreating. The plan, as it is now being carried out, is to build a reservoir in the Tai-tam valley, noon, was but a brief and hurried one, so that I The following report was submitted to the bad so time to follow out the plan in its entirety. or to fully examine the very interesting geologigoing on from both ends of the proposed tunnel, or the even much more interesting and instructive excavations for the bottom and dam of the proposed reservoir. The first object in connecvisitor approaches the Chinese village of Wongbeen built in connection with the all-important levelling arrangements in order to facilitate the is that ordinarily followed by the visitor to Tai tam-tuk or to the fishing village of Stanley. the northern month of the Tunnel above Wong nei-cheong, a barricade is reached, and the path has been diverted some few yards to the westward. A few hundred yards farther brings the are distinguished less by colour than by the employed. visitor to the engine house and Chinese work. mon's quar ers, situated on a slight eminence near the mouth of the tunnel. On entering this clinic forms, and sanidine, are known by the We trust that the vacation, which your long given by the Amatour Dramatic Club, while the tra- curious an entire absence of furnace, doors, or differences in chemical composition, but the of your Government. volling companies which visited Hongkong during fire; taps and water guage glasses are also want. main constituents are silica and silicate of aluthe season found their performances too unremmera- ing; and the whole affair is cold to the touch; yet a mina. One, microline, contains potassa; another, pressure guage on the top indicates some seventy albite, contains soda; another, anorthite, has a of this is made apparent by a look at the queer or soda; and three, oligoclase proper, andesine. Hungarian community, together with a handandiance; the chief reason apparently being that looking double cylinder engine in the centre and labradorite, contain both lime and sode in some silver cup; they timed their visit so as to arrive in the colony at of the building. This is an air compressor, and its working is evidently of an eminently natisfactory character. The power for working this engine is supplied by a boiler mittee, and the charges now made appear to be the ordinary Cornish type situated at the (biotite), and free silica (quarta). Being unable nan wid the Hung-shui-kiang (Red water highest they can expect to receive without making other end of the building. From the compressed to effectually individualize its component them so probibitive as to provent travelling artistes air container, an iron pipe leads down to the minerals I give the composition of the mass.

presented the Committee have to return their best drille; there are two of these, affixed by means of a thanks. temporarily secured by a jacksorew arrangement wedging the ends of this apright sgainst the bottom and top of the tunnel. The joint referred to enables the engine and drill with it to be turned at any angle to the face of rock about to be The Committee regret that not having funds at binsted. The drill is directly connected with the In some parts of the tunnel the syenite

stance being used to harden the steel. (The cessive stages of crystallisation, the one set of expected from France, but these structures are proposition we think there can be no doubt as to its advisability if the projector can show—as we think he will be able to—its Macso, then vid the Broadway, stopping to feasibility. At present the two greatens. The solution of the proposed from Hangkong direct to Ng-line proposed fr

the foreman's house, situated on a gentle emin- aggregate, with here and there the facet of some as well as they can. ence approached by a path winding no from the orystal somewhat larger than the rest making road, is arrived at. The house itself is a neat itself discernible. The chemical composition by difficulty on account of the want of stocks on the boarded erection with a tile roof and brick analysis is as under:foundations. This as well as the more numerous dwellings at the reservoir works near Tai-tum, is furnished with a good broad veraudeh, and apseur mangoon-Toungoo line, twenty miles trade for an Empire of over 250,000,000 of the building has been thoroughly extraight line to the latter place, where pears to be a fairly habitable atructure. From ward, brings one to a collection of three or four

> increes or hillocks as previously described. At through the surrounding strate. In one place and found perfectly sound; one joist only in the this spot a path, which is on the left hand side I obtained some black powder from the face of of the road when travelling eastwards, loads trap rock lining the dyke. This powder proved down to the excavation works in progress for on analysis to be almost pure manganese oxide. constructing the foundations of the dam and bot- At another place I obtained, by the kindness of tom of the great reservoir. On proceeding some Mr. Geo. Herris, a foreman of the works, a piece few hundred feet along this pathway a small of almo t pure white, wholly crystalline, rock, beg to call the attention of the Committee to the dirty shed and pumping engine is arrived at. This of considerable hardness, and having a slight

out the water which accumulates as the work to have the following composition progresses. The proposed course of the tunnel brick pillars, on which are affixed most accurately adjusted eights corresponding with other sights affixed to spikes driven into the roof of the tunnel itself, indicating its centre. This evatem of sights will at once be seen by the observant visitor to be urgently necessary; as in the event of inaccurate levels the exit mouth of the tunnel might be at a little, ever so little bigher elevation than its entrance mouth, thus requiring water to flow up hill and making the whole affair a flasco; while in the event of inaccurate centres the two borings, one from either end, would not meet, which would involve much additional vexation and trouble; hence the absolute necessity and in fact economy of employing really skilful engineers and intelligent operatives at the works. At a short distance beyoud the shaft and on ine house referred to, the southern or entrance mouth of the tunnel is arrived at. The blasting in pro-

gress there is conducted in the manner previously described, except that the boring having progressed several hundred feet farther into the hill, the workmen do not entirely quit the tunnel on letting off a blast, but take refuse in a little recess excavated into the side of the tunnel for this purpose. The debris of rook following the explosions is removed from the tunnel by trucks running on a narrow tramway. laid down along the bottom or floor of the tunnel and continued to an incline near by, down which the debris is pitched by tilting up the end of the trucks. The tunnel is about eight feet high, or perhaps a little more, by about the same number of feet in breadth. The dam of the reservoir will be about eighty feet high from its foundations, by some two hundred yards In view of the very great importance attached or more in length. I much regret that the time

Geologically considered, the excavations for the dam are so far of a much more interesting nature than those of the tunnel. At the Wong-nei-cheong or northern end of the tunnel the rock as yet penetrated is a reddish coloured syenite-granite, somewhat poor in crystals of free quarts. It is most instructive to notice the disintegrating and decomposing effects on this rock of water combined with carbon dioxide and other matters absorbed by rain water in its passage through the atmosphere and percolation follows:through the superincumbent strats. This water by its action and reaction on the rock and its To Joseph Hass, Esq., subsidiary minerals has formed veins of various substances, in some places wholly crystallized. which penetrate and vein the partially disinted losing you, and our appreciation of the service you grated mass in all directions. If has decomposed | have rendered us and our fellow residents during the black mice, dissolving out its exide of iron your sejourn amongst us. It is not for us to crical facts brought to light by the tunnelling new as carbonate, and leaving the green hydrous theise or comment upon the way in which you have magnesian silicate and also perhaps a peculiar performed your duties to the Governments with compound formed by the re-action of carbonates | whose interests in Shanghai you have been chargof soda and potassa on manganese oxides present ed. . We rather wish to commemorate the conv in the horneblende, angite, and other minerals of teay and geniality with which you have ever been tion with the works which becomes visible as the the rock, as colonring matter; it has also ready to assist all members of the community to decomposed the hornblende and felapars in whom your services could be of use, and the unnei-theong from the Race Course is a series of the same way, the former being invariably the first failing interest which you have taken in the nicely squared little brick erections, which I did to show signs of disintegration, depositing the cause of process and colightenment in the City not closely examine, but conclude that they have dissolved carbonates of lime, iron, and magnesia and in the Empire. Your knowledge of the Chialong with much minutely divided silica and nese language, and of their character, and your silicate of alumina as a vein of white rock filling | acquaintance with Chinese officials, have contaking of correct sights." The path to the works | up cavities and interstices where they occur in stantly enabled you to give the most valuable the surrounding strate. A piece of this white aid to successive Municipal Councils, as well as rock, taken from the excavations for the dam, I to all individuals of whatever nationality who winding up by easy inclines until, on approaching have carefully analyzed, as will appear below, have come to you for advice. Especially in the line aggregate of several distinct minerals, the has your intelligence, ability and courtesy been principal of which are felspars. These felspars most frequently called upon and most readily

variable proportions.

The syenite of the tunnel is a mixture of pink orthoclase and colourless or grey andesite, with greyish green horneblande, black magnesia-mica

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picton rod of the cylinder, thus forming a direct assumes a more or less schistose arrangement, continuation of it, but what arrangement is sub- i being traversed in an horizontal direction by thin stituted for the slide valve and excentric ordination of some compact, finely granular, almost great abilities with which you have been blessed.

rily in use I regret that time and the darkness of glassy, not definitely crystallized, greyish to Kong-man, and the Broadway; this service round & Co. having kindly undertaken to print a new rily in use I regret that time and the darkness of glossy, not definitely cryatallized, greyish to ringht without any great deviation be made catalogue at a greatly reduced rate, the present continued and interested that at various points traders been so altered that its utility has been almost deciding but they arrested to be of cotagonal and recommend to be a sum of cotagonal and recommend to the sum of cotagonal and recommend faced outting hits. I did not actually measure segregation vein, is almost pure silica, with but ledging the presentation.—Courier, these drills, but they appeared to be of octagonal a very small proportion of alumina, a trace of

three hundred strokes per minute or even Tai-tam Valley, the nature of the rook is con- Independant :faster, the sound of strokes being continuous as siderably changed as sobistoze arrangement and a loud brazing or humming unise. After every trachytoid, perphyroidal, or ophitic, occasionally boring the bit has to be removed and taken to micaceous appearance frequently presents itself. Mr. Conquerous section for bringing Bur- the advent of steamers, all or a greater part the blacksmith's shop (which is nitrated close to part of the building is, in the minion of the Comcutting faces renewed. This is done by simply markedly arranged in a direction parallel to their operations on the arrival of the reinforcements. There is some talk of removing the ad-

terest in the prosperity of British Burmah, with which country he has been officially conmedically constructed by the street of the street o trade between India and China developed. Where the shallow North River and the Fat- feel confident that they will be able to keep up the tunnel and proceeding again upwards along the by the naked eye, although it can be plainly satisfy them. In the meantime the sufferers by path, at the distance of some few hundred yards discerned that the rock is a distinctly orystalline the first lighted by the French troops vegetate

Silica 5.3 Lime 10. Magnesia 5.5
Ferrous exide \ 11.5 Ferrio oxide Manganese oxide 2.5 Potassa Sodn..... 2 Titanium, a trace

by white auts, 2 hardwood beams under Library were previously described. These houses have sopar- Down the smooth southern face of this dyke tunnel, and the engine is employed in pumping silicate. The rook sample proved on analysis

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Another sample of a dull light green coloured serve as the head of the line and the central office rock, still in places showing the forms in which in Haiphong will be situated near the old Conits original ingredient minerals had crystallized. salate. an abundance of the green hexagonal tables of oblorite, indicating one of its components as which left Haiphong to disperse the bandits who horneblande, gave on analysis an almost similarre- | had their head quarters in Elephant Mountain. salt, but contained more iron and manganese, and This expedition was fully successful. The less carbon dioxide. By far the most interesting natives, commanded by a Pho-quan, who was a sample of rock obtained, however, was a dark long time at Tan-an, after a small engagement, grey compact rock, which may be a large grained took prisoners a large number of suspected indolarite, showing conspicaous light grey crystals | dividuels, and bound them in order to bring them of felspars in a more minutely crystalline dark to Haipbong. While the party was under ground mass, dispersed though which could be shelter from the midday heat, the Pho-quan, discerned the dark green prisms of augite, dusted forgetting that his prisoners could understand over and in great part concealed by minute him, said to one of the natives with whom he was crystals of magnetite and titaniferous iron, speaking that it would be prudent not to delay numerous dark green crystals of clivine, with long, because their ammunition was spent and more rarely small blood red garnet, minute blue it would be difficult to defend themselves if they coloured glassy orystals of iclite, green coloured were attacked. Several of the prisoners heard wedges of titavite, and minute speaks of glitter- this, and taking advantage of a moment when the ing golden yellow pyrite. The majority of these surveillance was relaxed, they succeeded in outminerals can only be identified by means of the ting their bonds and massacred the Pho-quan microscope. The rock is free from flaws or and the greater part of his troops. The Carabine blemishes, is close grained, of a fine dark grey was afterwards sout to make a demonstration, colour, and would take an excellent polish, being | the only effect of which was the burning of well suited for monuments, head stones, &s., &c., several villages. or other like purposes. It specific gravity is The pirates are having a good time of it in the about 2.80, and its chemical composition almost country. A few miles away from Haiphong identically the same as the basaltic rock already | they do not hesitate to pillage junks and villages described as annamesite, the origin of the two [t will evidently be necessary to operate against being probably similar, but differing in stages of them seriously and make an example of them if growth and manner of crystallization. From they are to be got rid of and tranquillity to be want of extended practice in examining rooks restored to the country. in situ. I may perhaps be a little out in the some-

ADDRESSES TO MR. HAAS AT

SHANGHAI. An address was presented to Mr. Hass, Vice-Consul in charge of Austro-Hungarian Consulate General at Shanghai. The address reads as

Shanghai, November, 1883.

DEAR SIR, -Before you start upon your well carned leave we desire to express our recret at The syenite granite of the tunnel is a crystal- | difficult post of Assessor at the " Mixed Court'

forms in which they crystallize; two kinds. As Fellow Citizen, as Consul, and as Assessor orthoclase proper, which crytallizes in mono- you will be greatly missed during your absence engine house the most conspicuous object which | general designation orthoclase, and six or more | years of service have well merited, will be a presents itself is a large boiler, apparently a kinds crystallising in triclinic forms are known very pleasant one, and that you will return to steamboiler, of the Cornish pumping engine type, by the common appellation of plagioclase, or Shanghai before long with renewed health and An inspection, however, will soon disclose to the triclinio felspars. These are distinguished by strength, and with fresh proofs of the confidence

We are, Dear Sir, Yours respectfully. The following address was also presented or pounds pressure to the square foot. The cause large percentge of lime without either potassa the 15th instant to Mr. Hass by the Austro-To Joseph Haas, Esq., His L. & R. Ap. M.'s

Hungarian Consulate-General; Knight of the One of the coffins was carried by sailors, the Imp. Order of Francis Joseph, etc., etc., Commandant Morel Beaulian delivered a short Shangbai.

veyed from this iron pipe in strong gutta percha known as borneblende, which is in large proper- to you for the able, indefatigable and distubes specially made for the purpose. These tion; the colouring matter is almost invariably interested manner in which you have discharge tubes are strengthened and enabled to with iron with exception of an occasional green tinge ed your Consular duties during the many years which may perhaps be caused by hydrous mag- which you have been honoured by our Government in holding the interests of its subjeots in your hands. You have won the ad miration of all your compatriots; and not of them only, but of all foreingers in Shangbai, for the yeaman services you have rendered in the protection of foreign interests at this port. Your departure from Shanghai, we have good reason to believe, will be universally regretted by all who have had the houser of your acquaintance, and especially by your follow-countrymen to whom you have always proved a good connector and

In bidding you " Farewell," we hope it may only be for a meson, and that you will return to China to serve your Government and with the

Mr. Hass replied in suitable terms, acknow-AFFAIRS IN TONQUIN.

We translate the following from the Saigon

Saigon, 30th October. exceptional importance are recorded. The des Lettres. The exection of temporary barracks The engineers are everywhere throwing up ministrative capital to Quang-yeu. The land on

The provisioning of the troops is a matter of spot. Everything has to be obtained from Hong. kong and China at exorbitant rates. In order to obtain horses \$128 a piece bul to be paid, in addition to the transport, while ordinarily they can be bought for less than half that amount. The dykes, which seemed to defy the greatest rise of the water, have not stood this year, and the inundation has spread over the plains, which

are in general protected, and has worked great damage. It has bee said that this breakage of the dykes was brought about by the work of the Black Flags, who wished to transform the country into a desert in order to arrest the advance of the French, but there is no proof of this. It is proposed to profit by the tranquillity, of the provinces of Thanh-Hon and Nge-an to at once install the French residents. In these two provinces the tranquillity has never been seriously disturbed and the mandarins have remained faithful at their posts. It is probable that these provinces, situated nearly mid-distance between Hue and Honoi, will be shortly opened

to exterior trade by the ports of Thinh-Gia and The mandarins are gradually returning in the provinces. The Tong-doc of Hanoi and Hai-Daong have resumed their functions; as to the one at Nam-dinh, notwithstanding the orders from Hué he has not yet made his submission. The telegraph line between Hanoi and Haiphong is being actively proceeded with and preparations for that from Hanoi to Nam-dinh are being energetically pushed forward. The boat to

We spoke some time ago of an expedition

A fortified post is being constructed at Batang what arbitrary and empirical nomenclature of to serve as a base of operations for the troops

geology, but the various analyses may be relied | when they attempt the passage of the Day, beon as approximately correct. I hope at some youd which the Chinese are entrenched. future time, when more at leisure, to go at | The disbanding of the Yellow Flags and the greater length into this really very interesting desertions from the Black Flags have brought back to Hanoi a part of its working population, which is composed objefly of Chinese coolies. the number of these was at-one-time-so-small that it was impossible to find men to do the least hard work. Now things are resuming their ordinary course, and even the workers in lacquer. silk, and other articles of luxury have reopened their workshops. Each of the members of the expeditionary corps, wishing to have a souvenir of the country for himself and bis friends, articles are being made roughly and in large quantity and sold at a low price. It is almost impossible to find a well-finished article now. The pagodas also are being reopened, and the bonzes

> The head of Lun-vinh-Phuoc has still a price of two thousand dollars set upon it. A small Chinese steamer flying the Annamite flag has been captured in Halong Bay. A few days before a junk was taken, but the crow eacaped by swimming ashore. In order to facilitate the operations in the direction of Bac-ninh, a fortified work called tete de mont is being constructed on the bank the Songkoi, where the route to Bac-ninh

> branches off. It is composed of two block-

are occupied in setting their articles of worship

and ornament in order, but many of these articles

have disappeared and not the least beautiful of

houses placed parallel to each other at a distance of a boat's length, connected by a parapet mounted with cannon. An expedition to Buo-ninh is spoken of as soon as the troops arrive. The expedition will be made by water in order to avoid the fortifications which the Chinese have thrown up for the defence of the passage by the land route, which runs amon a series of small hillocks easily fort fied. The Chinese are concentrating on Bac-ninh, and seem

in part to have abandoned Sontay. After the recovery of the head of Commandant Revière his body, easily reco missble, was found in a fair state of preservation. On the 13th October a mass was said by the Bishop in the barrack-square. Two coffins were exposed, one containing the head and body of Commandant Rivière, the other containing the heads of the officers and soldiers killed on the 19th May, whose bodies have not been recovered. During the caremony the ships had their flags at all-mast and on its conclusion the Surprise fired minute gnns. The troops then marched to the cometery. preceded by the band playing a funeral march. address full of feeling. He reviewed the sersenting the Austro-Hungarian community of insurrection, services which brought him into on the field of glory. He also mentioned the other deceased officers -M M. Berthe de Vilers, Jacquamin, etc., and referred to the soldiers who died for the defence of civilization against barbarism." He oppoinded by saying to all these brave men, " Au revoir et non pas adieu." When the coffic containing the body of Commandant

Rivière was lowered into the grave the troops fired a volley. -At Hué preparations are being made for the commencement of work on the new road and the telegraph to Baria as soon as the treaty is ratified 3rd November.

The Saigon has brought further news from Tonguin. The troops are marched out daily The column is generally composed of three companies of marine infantry, one or two companies of Annamite tirailleurs, and a hattery of artillery. Everything is quiet, and these movements are made simply for the sake of health and exercise. Even at the Basiang post the enemy is never seen. The Chinese are definitely encamped on the other bank of the Day. A former Do Doc (military mandarin) had his head out off the other day by a band of robbers in his house near Phu-hosi. Admiral Courbet was expected at Hanol cu

the 25th October, to take over the command-in-chief. He was to bring with him four landing In the last news fr m Tonguin no events of parties who were to be quartered in the Camp

According to letters received from Tonquin yesterday cold weather was beginning to be felt foramped innings for 21. there. Reinforcements were arriving almost daily, of operations were being pushed on.

organisation of the country. after disembarking at Seigen the men and stores the not out man. for Coohin-China, proceed to Hallong Bay to | The fielding, as a whole (there were a few peditionary corps.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

HAIPHONG, 11th November. Since my last, considerable reinforcements bave arrived, over 2,500 men, and including all ! the small batches of troops that have arrived his score to 25, when Johnston beat him. Stoppreviously, the Marines, etc., France now has ford, Lloyd, and Pike got into double figures, the about 10,000 men ready for action, all told, in- last named carrying his bat for a swiping 16. cluding those scattered about in Halong or Vinh-Icong Bay, Namdinh, Haiphong, Hai Duong, etc. Amongst the troops last arrived there is trying to best the Irish score, Johnston and Hare a battalion of the Legion des Etrangers, most being the first pair, and right well did they carry of whom are Dutch, Swedes, Norwegians, out the wish of their skipper. Hare played an English. Germans, and Russians. Even John excellent innings of 38, until beaten by a good Chinaman, the thrifty one, who goes every- one from Hynes-the fifth change of bowlingwhere when there is a prospect of a little First wicket down for 86. The nort four batspidgin for him, has found his way into this men disappointed themselves and their comrades. Lazion, but he appears in this position with. Hendry stayed the rot, putting on 16 by free out his quene. There is only one, however; play, The Secretary, after making 7, got he is a Hongkong Chinaman, who found his way thrown out by Travers through a slight misuumany years ago to Marseilles and thence to derstanding with his partner. Porter-filled the Alceria. The Legion des Etran rereshow up very vacuacy, and right merrily and well be played. well. They are a military looking lot, well An appeal to the Umpire, after much considera. drilled, and most of them appear to have seen tion on his part, was given against Johnston, active service. They are behaving very quietly, who had played a grand innings of 129, by Then we have the Algerian troops - the Araba steady, determined play; until he was over 90 a coincidence I may mention that Mahomet was pressed at the erratic decision of the Umpiro. born on the 11th November, 569: With all who, on being appealed to on the close of the these strangers there is quite a batel of tongues | game, explained that his verdict was given in

spoken here now. All available river steamers have been taken being partly inside and partly on the popping up, and the troops are being sent as fast as crease, he is not out. It is to be hoped that such possible to Hanoi There are several thousand more troops ex- decision should be given promptly, and if there country may soon be quiet again.

garrison, but when they came out they found runs for the loss of 9 wickets; thus the match only the headless bodies of their comrades. was left drawn. There were no other wounds on the bodies. Seven bowlers were used on either side, and

on a dark night.

HAIPHONG, 15th November. up to Hanoi every day, how many I hardly know; a good practical example. but they have been proceeding in every steamer. Now that foncing runs all round the ground, the district would have suffered to the end of in batches of from 60 to 300 men, and I have no smart fielding could (and in this match should the Honmara-road had it not been for their doubt that some operation on a large scale is have done so) have saved many a "3"

be taken, almost with ease, but they say that ly selected in honour of our "Grand Old Man" Japan Mail. Baouinh is strongly fortified and garrisoned now, -Sweet William-who's last appearance it was, and that it will prove a very hard out to crack, for the present only let us hope, in a Hongkong This very much depends, I imagine, upon the match. way the French go to work to accomplish the operation. Admiral Courbet has now a good foror; which will be still further supplemented shortly by another battalion of the Foreign Legion shortly expected, and further reinforco. ments—are expected—besides in—the—transport

The Algerian troops or Turous in their gav and picturesque uniform have created quite a sensation among the native population. These danntless sons of the desert have already become a terror to the country; I only hope that, they will inspire equal terror among the Block Flags. whose acquaintance they cannot make too scon. Hai-duong, the capital of the province, was attacked, on the 12th inst., by a strong force of robbers and pirates, who sacked the whole town The parrison did not turn out; probably from a belief that resistance to so large a body would be hopeless, for the enemy mustered more than a thousand strong. The pirates therefore had it all their own way, and barned and pillaged to their hearts' content. The Chinese here say that Hai-duong is atterly rained, but I bear, on the other hand, that no lives were lost; the pirates not meeting any resistance contented thomselves with looting all the moveable property and burning all the rest.

HAIPHONG, 19th. November. I last reported to you that there had been an attack by Annumites and Chinese on Hai-duon where the French garrison number about 150 ! men. Since that another attack has taken place. and this time on the Citadel itself. On the 17th inst., at 6 o'clock a.m., flighting commence i real earnest, and the French lost 28 men. I regret to say that Mr. Marquis, our Resident, was wounded, but happily only very slightly. It ar pears that if it had not been for the gunboa Lynz, which passed that locality en route for the Bac-night river, and which hourd the firing ! going on and went to Hai-duong to rouder assist. ance, our French friends might have fared very badly indeed. From what the Chinese tell, the commercial quarter of Hai-duong was given to that has been spread abroad is grossly ex. colonial carrying trade; this senson in threshing, and gathering in, their addition to the lump coal sent to Tientsin for the flames. The gunboat Carabine, which was agreerated, and bad as the occurrence may according to the distance and amounted to 10.20 | rice crops, that they are not deserving of much | the use of the Northern steamer, large quantity prevailed all this month, which does not promise lying in the creek, was, it appears, literally rid. be it is not nearly as serious in its results or 30 frances at ton. The consting trade in commiseration for the recent slight rain inter- ties of slack and small coal, amounting to an well for our Races on the 12th and 14th instant. dled with shot; the banks being higher than on deck she was able to make but little use of her As to the origin wof the disturbance it is French vessels.

To day we neceived from Hanoi by the reinforcement to our garrison. The troops are of cour-e all is Hanciagain, and a company of infautry and a very few artillery are the sole protection of Haiphong, though it is the real basis of all operations. A body of 800 men have hear, been despatched overland to the aseistance of the garrison at Hai-duong. This, I consider, is a good move, as the troops will have only slightly injured. They were left behind in enjoying exceptional privileges in the home may have the effect of entirely dispelling the him the post of Dr. Christlernssen, now absent "Tower muskets," which look neither ornato learn to march anyhow.

The attacking party at Hai-duong are said to a great number of Chinese troops amongst them; and many of them have good arme.

During the last two days, and even to-night an attack upon Haiphong is expected, as these bands are said to be only balf an bour's march from here now, and considering that we have so few troops here, please count me amongst thoseunfortunates who have lost their heads in this unhappy war should you not hear any more from me.

So far there has been no advance on Bac-ninh but I believe active preparations are in progress for the purpose.

CRIOKET.

"IRELAND" V. "THE WORLD."

This 12 a side game was commenced with commendable panetuality on Friday, the 16th and the shooting soon afterwards took place, an arrangement which threw on France the instant, soon after 2 p.m. Hynes, winning Three or four shots are believed to have been charge of maintaining and protecting the colonies the toss, took first innings on an excel. fired, with the results we mention above. On without giving her any compensating advantage, the "Ole Man " Hand and District on the results we mention above. On without giving ner any compensating advantage, in the return of the Paulah to Shanghai, where he one of the aides-de-camp of Admiral Peng Min. joy para air, clean ground, and a view of the district of the presentation of petitions ing their hovels, to become so thoroughly choked nity, of his popularity in Shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions ing their hovels, to become so thoroughly choked nity, of his popularity in Shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions ing their hovels, to become so thoroughly choked nity, of his popularity in Shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions ing their hovels, to become so thoroughly choked nity, of his popularity in Shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions ing their hovels, to become so thoroughly choked nity, of his popularity in Shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions in the results and a proper shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions in the results and a proper shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions in the results and a proper shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions in the results and a proper shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions in the results and a proper shanghai, where he is not a presentation of petitions in the results and a proper shanghai. the "Ole Man." Hynes and Rice were the first currence was reported to the managers of the on the subject was instituted in 1869. At the prepair of batamen, the bowling being entrusted to China Merchants' Company and after an investi- sent time the Chambers of Commerce in France Hendry (East end) Johnston (West). The first gation the mate and all the Chinese implicated haverenewed this movement, and we believe some place before reaching mother earth. I for 69; respect. Courier. not a good start for the World, whose bowling laoked that desirable "devil " in it. Travers at once lifted the first ball to "No. 8" fielding sub. at deep long on, but the sun was too bright for a outch on the east side. With this in his favour, Tinvers let out at most bally and ratified up 38 in] a very short time, ustil bowled by Greaves. A

but maskee, better luck next time. 2 for 140. De Chair followed and played a tame and rather

Rice was the next to leave, being cought at and the preparations for the recommencement point after giving the field lots of work to do whilst putting together his 96 by very steady The Commissioner-General has asked to be play. The teaper was somewhat kind to allowed to return to France to lay before the him towards the close of his career. Coxon Ministry and the Chambers his ideas on the contributed 24 in his customary neat atvice though his career should have been out short In future the transports which make the re- by mid on before Irving bowled him. Emplory gular service between Toulon and Suigen will. by a few hits compiled 16, and with Stopford is

embark the sick and wounded of the ex. | hard working exceptions), was the worst we have seen for some time on the ground. Some of our young players full to be on their legs prepared for the hit, and even when they do get under way show a great want of speed Play was resumed shortly before 12 a.m. on Saturday, the 17th instant. Bunbury increased

The innings closed for 32% At 2 p.m. The World commanded their task of

applause, though great dissatisfaction was exignorance of the fact that the batsman's foot a decision will not occur again. An Umpire's

peoted in a few days, and for the 1st December is any doubt in his mind about the appeal, which a general advance and grand soup is planned. he alone can decide, the batsman is entitled to I wish the French every success and hope the the benefit of that doubt. The 8th wicket fell for 240-129 of which Johnston had . At Batany, a village or small town about half- | contributed. Whyte-followed, but soon lost an-hour's journey down the river from Hanoi, Porter, bowled off his legs; the retiring which has lately been garrison d by two com- batsman bad contributed a most useful 34 by panies of Marine Infantry, two sentinels were, a dashin free batting. Greaves joined Whyte lew days ago, killed in the night. It appears the just after gun fire, and the result of the last 8 Annamites prowled up to their unaware in the balls was koonly and excitedly watched, the light high grass and bush behind their beat, and with being always bud at the close of the day. This one stroke severed their bends from the trunk, result was favourable to The World, who at the One of their gons went off, which alarmed the close of a most interesting match had made 248

This was a sad fact and must. I should think, from the scoring we consider that the exhave cast a gloom over the whole garrison. cellence of the wicket was much in favour of Fighting in the open is well enough, but to be batsmen. For a wicket where batsmen can play batchered in the dar's, from behind, by an with confidence, we are all much indebted to the unseen enemy, is not a very pleasant prospect to waterworks and big roller, the suggestion of be held before those who have to do sentry duty | our Hon. Engineer. The fielding on the part of the "Gordon" Captain at short leg was ad-Two large villages, near Heiphong tendered mired from its enthusiastic keenness, and was a their submission a few days ag., to the resident | good example to some of our young cricketers, daring had arrived with about one hundred men, practice. " Hints on fielding in the Cricket. The fire was discovered about half-past two a.m. and these were armed by the French Authorities Field," by Pycroft (Chapter 12, page 259) :- on the 9th just, and soon got a good hold of the -not with rides, however -and were sent back "The essence of good fielding is, to start before surrounding houses, and apread up the valley to do p lice duty in the neighbourhood. This the ball is hit, and to pick up and return straight to Mr. Gerard's tile works, afterwards crosswill be something to assist in keeping the count to the top of the bails, by one continuous action." ing the road leading to the Blaff and extendtry more quiet, which is much needed, as secu- Also:-"Let every man practise meeting the ing to the Hundred Steps. It is estimated rity for life and property in the interior is very ball in the right way, by running up to the ball, that between five and six hundred houses have much at the mercy of the pirates. Most of the and not stopping till you a tually most it. This been burned: consequently, a large amount of mandarins are quite useless in preserving order, is the essence of quick fielding; but nearly all property must have been destroyed which there and, in fact, are neglecting their functions men, though they run in, stop before the ball was not time to remove. The engines of the comes." A careful perusal of "The Cricket Field" would do a lot of good to some of our young

The Chinese generally think that Sontay can selection on the Ground; some pieces were kind- but we believe no great damage was done.-

Appended is the full score:—

Mr. W. Hynes, e Hemlry, b St. Croix... Me. H. G. Rice, D.A.C.G., c Gordon, b Porter... 96 Mr. E. F. De Chair, R.N., c Johnston, b St. Croix 21 Mr. G. S. Coxon, b Bell-Irving Lieut, C. P. Lloyd, e Dobson, h St. Croix....... Mr. G. W. Gubbins, at. Greaves, h Bell-Irving ... 22 Mr. W. Waring, b Bell-Irving ...

THE WORLD. Mr. G. R. Johnston, st. Coxon, b Pike.. 129 Mr. F. S C. Harc. D.A.C.G., b Hynes.,.......... 3: My, F. D. Scoones, c Travers, b Hynes..... Mr. J C. C. Hendry, c Rice, b De Chair Lieut, G. A. Porter, b Pike...

SHOOTING AFFRAY ON BOARD THE STEAMER "PAUTAH."

We regret to have to publish the particulars funother affray between Chinese and a foreigner. home. The expression "good for the colonies" in which firearms were used and two Chinese came to be, commercially, the synonym of "good wounded. The China Merchants' Steam Naviga. for nothing. tion Company's steamer Pautah. Captain Pat. native erew, and that when the chief mate in-

Peiko river, and when she arrived in Tientsin France, under some slight restrictions. This two of the Chinese orew were taken to the law, however, was only for the three colonies of for the time of year during three days of last iron-mines. - Courier wound of one of them, the boatswain, is reported | the 24th December, 1861. to be on the head, and he was described a not! Namerous claims were then formulated by the Tientsin. Another man is reported to have re- markets, it was unfair that French products existing fever. The disturbance appears to hive arisen in | which gave to the General Councils of the great consequence of the insubordination of the crew, colonies the right of voting the local ou toms by refusing to "turn to" when requested by tariff subject to rutification by degrees. the mate to do so. So far its we have been At Rennion a resolution of Council, dated 11th usually fine specimens. After the customary themselves in a disgrectful manner towards Shanghai Courier Correspondent, able to gather the facts from what may be November, 1867, affirmed by a decree of 4th feast on this occasion had been done full justice the Christian converts. While service was termed trustworthy sources, it seems that while April, 1868, modified the customs tariff. At to by the numberous guests invited, the flowers being conducted at the Presbyterian Church the strangest rumpurs are in circulation the steamer was proceeding up the Peiho river, Guadeloupe the Council suspended, from the 11th the mate had occasion to call upon the injured December, 1866, customs dues on all foreign boatswain and his watch of sailors to turn to [merchandiss other than sugar, rum, coffee, cocao. They did not do so, and the mate for some and vanilla, substiting for them a marine cotroi reason or other went down into the forecastle, affecting uniformly all imports whatever their

where the mon were. What then took place point of origin. The same course was adopted the mate and the Chinese will have their in Martinique. own story to tell, and as there appears to be a This radical modification of the former state great divergence between them, we refrain at of things immediately evoked protests in the present from entering futo details. Suffice it motropolis. In the Corps Legislatif, in the deto say that the mate came out of the forecastle, bate on the Customs law of 1864, M.M.: Anoth went to his room, and returned to the forecastle, and l'ouyer-Quertier vigorously protested against

THE PLOODS IN SHANTUNG.

remarks grated harshly on the car of the bowler, sarprise as a thief in the night. The river was Colony,

city. On three of these bills the officials are with foreign goods.

better this year remains to be seen. The people from our neighbours. brought thousands of loads of stalks, and were It is objected by some that the Colony ought cheated in weight and in price, while some did not not to burden itself with imposts in order to in their fantastic costumes with the fez and the there was not a chance given. His retirement get all that was due to them even at such poor favour industries which do not apportain to it, bed is full of mud and water, and the person who price of commodities in the country, it would be has the work on hand has not a very enviable posi- preferable that an export duty should be paid in tion. I hear that one channel for a new outlet the mother country. We at once reply that in in time of flood is now being dug out on the order to protect needy industries it is necessary south side of the river, but have heard of nothing in one way or another to do so at the expense of being actually done on the north side, where those which have no need of protection. To the flood is worse. If the flood in the future protect the metal industry by an impost folling

the wall; in that case the vast amount of spring south, is theoretically the same as to protect water isside the city and suburbs would prove a French products at the expense of the colonial serious inconvenience. The Arsenal north of consumer. In the one case as in the other the the city can only be approached by bonts. The protection is not paid for by those who benefit waters did not enter the grounds, but the water by it: otherwise it would cease to be protection. from rainfalls bad no escape, and did much Besides, the system of export charges is a source damage. There are only sixty or seventy men of considerable fraud, and it it is made use of by at work now. The buildings look dilapidated, Germany and Austria it is because these two and nearly all the machinery is rusted and idle. nations do not possess colonies supplying the I saw some work in montging being done; also tratlets of which their trade stands in need. saw six men at work making large bullets. They | But let us look at the matter from a purely said they made 6,000 a day. The powder store- self-interested point of view and admit that we house was not shown to us. They say it is high may say to the mother country that we expect and dry. There has been nothing done worth her to pass us by and domand no sacrifice from us. speaking of since the removal two years ago of The reply would be simple. She would say, the experienced, accomplished, and worthy "You must do, then, like Australia Caba, and official En Ya.-N. O. Daily News Correst other colonies. Pay for your local defence, re-

EXTENSIVE FIRE IN YOKOHAMA.

After a fortunate immunity of several months Tokohama has again been visited by an extensive conflagration, which had its origin in a bathdifferent Fire Brigades all turned out promptly and rendered good service in arresting the Since I last wrote, troops have been forwarded players, to whom Mr. Irving's keen fielding is further progress of the flames, as the crowded i nature of the locality makes it a certainty that timely assistance. It is stated that one or more The Band of "The Buffs" played a spirited houses on the Bloff took fire from flying sparks,

CUSTOMS DUES AT SAIGON.

We translate from the Saigon Independent the following article:-

The question of customs, submitted by the Deputy for Cochin-China to his friends, and in reference to which the elective bodies of the colony are now in congress, is one of the most important both for the mother country and the all by the fire.

It is only a few years since the French colonies were subject to a regime known as the polonial pact, a regime which still exists for certain English colonies, and which, under certain restrictions, is still in force in Manila and Java. coording to the terms of this past the colonies were bound to obtain whatever European products they required in the mother country, and, reciprocally, to send to the home markets their native products, which were admitted under a traiff framed in their favour. Merchandise of foreign origin were not only subjected to enormous dues, but was even absolutely interdicted in many cases. Only French ships could carry

colonial merchandise The merchants and producers at home shamfully abused this situation, and, secure against competition in the colonial markets, they sent there, charging extravagant prices, the worst of their goods, everything which was unsaleable at

Necessarily smuggling was actively carried terson, left Shanghai on the 6th instant for on in order to supply the colonies with the goods. Pientsin and returned to Shaughai on the they required; hence mutual complaints on the 14th instant. On the 15th instant rumours part of the colonists and the home merchants, were current that during the trip there the former claiming fair dealing, and the latter achad been some disturbance among the cusing the colonists of abetting contraband trade. When liveral ideas were in the ascendant the terfered to restore or ler, he was attacked, and colonial part was abrogated by the law of the that in self-defence he had used his revolver, shot | Srd July, 1861, which allowed foreign goo is free two Chinamen dead, and wounded three others. access to the colonies on the same conditions as There is no doubt that a serious fracas has oc- to France, and permitted foreign vessels, on pay- is expected will have the desired effect. curred on board the Pautah, but the news ing a surtax on their flag. to engage in the

the colonies en ails.

comparatively law and in a short time the banks | What does the mother country gain by these of the former's position in the Chinese Army, millions of tasks, for some parties of which so. | Pautals arrived here from Tientsia bound to were full and the adjacent low lands were flooded. sacrifices P. Absolutely nothing, for it is a matter There has been no cessation in the flood, for of notoriety that our trade is entirely with soon after the first breaks in the river the rains; foreign countries, and that we consume only in Shankung came. The river was full, and the foreign goods. This is unjust from a double corning political matters (and for which there are houses and buildings though this side of the bar, there only being 6 feet of local rains were heavy and long continued, and point of view. In all equity we ought to pay only increased the flooded water. There has to the mother country, directly or indirectly, the been great suffering and much loss of property. equivalent of what we cost her in current ex-Houses, whole villages, have disappeared. Except penses and interest on the capital expenses she ever, justified in contradicting the report that the joint stock companies which were started bar bound to Shanghai. The Kowshing, Chunthe stone foundation and the piled up timber and incurred in the establishment of the Colony. If tiles, all landmarks in places will be entirely we are worthy of the name of Frenchman we ought to bear our share of the expenses which for the inspection of the native army, the orders ping coal mines and the China Marchants' a strong breeze from the north-west has been The officials were prompt to rendering aid to now fall on our follow countrymen at home. sufferers near by the city of Lo-k'on Cart- When a French manufacturer uses Swedish chang.

loads of broad (kno-ping) went out of this city (iron. Belgian coal, or English cotton goods, be every day or two for some time; twelve Chinese | must pay on the entry of the goods to French ounces being given to each adult and half that territory, the oustome dues which represent the amount to children. Afterwards millet was protection given to the corresponding astlenal given, and in the middle of the 7th moon a string | industry, since, thanks to the enormous cares enof cash, though this but ence, and to end the tailed by the folies of the empire, the disasters charity; but the floods still continued. Rice of 1870, and the waste of opportunists, the latter was then given, and it is said will be given to the is obliged to pay for working, transporting, and end of the Chinese year. The allowance is one storing its goods considerable dues of which its tou and 250 cash to each adult once a mouth, compeers in Germany, Bellium, and England This aid is given to persons near the city; I can-lare, free. The augmentation of imposts, by not speak so well of those farther off. In some rendering articles of consumption more costly. places I hear that 600 big each a month is to be raises the price of labour. All this, cent by given, also to the end of the year. A great many cent, hand caps' manufactured goods , with refugees have fled to the high lands about the charges which do not allow them to compete

erecting temporary booths or houses, and have | In France customs dues are imposed for the soldiers stationed near by to keep order and preprotection of 15cal industry, and the people vent beggars from getting the aid intended for consent to exact a sacrifice from the consumerimperceptible by each in particular, bowever—in The officials have called for the kao-liang order that the native producers may not be stalks to aid in stopping river breaks. Cash wiped out by foreign competition. In the and each only is promised to the people who colonies we ought to do the same, and especial-

repair the breaks in the river banks. The river charges on foreign goods, which will increase the should increase, the water gates of the city must on agriculturists, or the productions of the north be closed, for the water outside is now almost to by an impost falling more particularly on the

fund the cost of your first establishment, recruit the soldiers you require, and after all this, in return for the privilege of using our flag, of engaging our responsibility, of entailing on us if necessary political difficulties, you shall pay a fixed tribute." This clearly is the outcome of the theory of each one for himself. We need not here, Mr. Marquis, who accepted it. The man | who would do well to take to heart and put into house near the Zo-toku-in-Temple, in Honmura, | say what would be the fate of Coolin-China in such a case; like all those who wish to isolate themselves she would perish by her isolation. But from a financial point of view, is it not clear that the taxes which would be necessary to discharge all the expenses we have anomerated would press much more severely on the population than the onatoms dues it is proposed to establish ? We have not here snoken of the desirability—as some would say as a matter of sentiment, as we would peace and comfort of foreigners.—Herald. say as a matter of patriotism -of facilitating the arrival of French goods, French vessels, and French merchants in Coohin-China: but will deal with this branch of the subject on a future

CHINA.

The French man-of-war Tourville arrived at Amoy from Japan, on the 12th inst. The German barque Helene has been sold to Chinese for \$3,400, and she is now being broken

Captain Fowler, of the steamer Selembria, begs to tender his sincore thanks to the Amor community for their assistance in extinguishing the fire on board his vessel on the night of the 4th just, and for their generous donations of plothing to his people on board, who lost their i

A Naval Court of Inquiry was held at the British Consulate, Amoy, on the 8th November, to investigate the circumstances which led to the breaking out of a fire on board the British steamer Selembric on the night of the 4th No vember while lying- in Amoy harbour. Mr. R. . Forrest, Consul, was President of the Court and Mr. Randall H. Pye, merchant, and Mr. Lanchlan White, master of the steamer Strath. more, ant as assessors. The following is the fluding of the Court: -

" We find: "1 .- That the fire which broke out on the nigh of the 4th November, 1883, on board the British steamer Selembria official No. 86,288, Liverpool, originated in the breakage of an anchor light while being relighted by the night watchman. Peter Maroin.

"2.—That no blame attaches to the Master or Officers of the said vessel, who did everything in their power to save the ship and cargo. His certificate is returned to the Muster. The first Officer's certificate was burnt. "3. The fee for the clerk of the Court, viz

#2, will be paid by the Selembria."

FOOCHOW. the the present, this will be the only punishment | an open Borthon collapsible boat,

the present year has not been considered pro. 1st January 1884. pitious for the culture of this flower, the ones We learn that during the literary examina hanting over good dry ground before Christmas, added to the pioturesqueuess of the scene

The species of reptile which usually only Mr. Chen, the well-known Magistrate of the 20,000 volunteers in view of a war with France, too comfortable at Peking, the gates opening "run" when the rainy senson sets in, have ap. Maloo Mixed Court, retired from public life on The coolies who came here for the tes senson, on to the slopes which lead to the top of the hall from the fact bowler was returned somewhat in the office of Magistrate seeing a new occupation opened to them in perhigh, to him, but unluckily the catch was not The mate has been in the service of the Company and specified and a service of the Company and specified week prior to the downpour which commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified week prior to the downpour which commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified week prior to the downpour which commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the commenced since 1864. It is worthy of note that Chen's specified and the chen's specified and th an innings of 34 ero he was tempted to let out at quiet, in offensive officer, most attentive to his it most nevertheless be recognised that the paddy fields, and also to 9th November, 1843, when he was appointed ing to their birthplaces. They wander about the paddy fields, and also to 9th November, 1843, when he was appointed ing to their birthplaces. They wander about the paddy fields, and also to 9th November, 1843, when he was appointed ing to their birthplaces. They wander about the Paddy fields, and also to 9th November, 1843, when he was appointed ing to their birthplaces. They wander about the Paddy fields of his one from the Secretary, which found its resting duties and thornughly trustworthy in every various colonies ought to furnish a contribution on the grave hillories. One large brute was to receive Sir George Ballour, so that the worthy the streets all day and sleep at night in the tent and thornughly trustworthy in every various colonies ought to furnish a contribution on the grave hillories. One large brute was to receive Sir George Ballour, so that the worthy the streets all day and sleep at night in the tent and the Yamon, the fact that the ladies of his to the mother country on account of the special discovered lumuriating within the precincts of. Magietrate's intercourse with fersigners has ples. The enlisting offices are not yet opened, family were in the habit of walking on the walls, charges and expenses which the possession of the Recreation Ground, where choice herbage, lasted exactly forty-one years to the day. He is as fresh orders are awaited. N. C. Daily News and expressed a hope that the practice was not in close proximity to the dike, is profuse. The succeeded by an official named Huang Chieng-i, Correspondent. In Coubin-China, for example, the home intruder was quickly disputched, as the feathered who is said to be a nephew of the Tao-t'ai. Mr. CHI-NAN Fu. 4th November. | government maintains a garrison and a floot ; tribs are alone allowed to frequent the arrival to frequent the will give up his quarters at the Mixed The flow i in this scotion is beginning to dis. during the fast twenty five years it has made unmolested; and from all appearance the latter Court nod live in the city. uppear. It is over three months and a haif since | encribes in men and more difficult preserve, as teal | We hour that Air. Chu Yu ohee, whose diffi-

The ramours which we contradicted in our It is said that the bankers interested in Mr. Chu. last issue regarding General Mesny enlisting [-Yu-oboo's estate have agreed to take a month in troops in Foodbow, had we find, for its origin the | which to consider what course they will adopt

forts on the river Min.

Mr. Lloyd, Although ignorance of the law is not acknow - with Teac Si-yang in the City. The unfor- C linese say that this is due to the caual having ledged as a plea of justification for the com- tunate detective still remains cooped up in a been dug deeper than the river, misson of an offence, the Elders of Foochow miserable little eage with about seventeen or the latest report from Kui-ping is that they have found that their verbal edict against the eighteen other prisoners. The den is provided are turning out 600 tons of coal a day. Wa use of kerosine oil has led to such innumerable with the minimum of light and air, and Si-yu .g | the mana fer, is still at Peking with the Seventh arrests of the natives, who have set up this and his companions in misfortune, some of whom | Prince, negotiating with him about the opining defence, that it has been deemed advisable to are diseased and all of whom are queavoury. He of the Esz tang Mines, as a joint stock company post fresh placerds. The latter appeared on the herded together like swine. The officials in in connection with the Kai-ping Company. To 5th just, and the context is to the effect that charge of the gool at first refused to admit this is to be attributed the rate here for Kinany of the Chinese found using any of this kind | foreigners to an interview with the detective. | ping shares, which helders refuse to gell at Tls. of oil, will be at once approhonded, and severely but they were eventually induced to conduct punished. The difference in the price of kero- | the party up a dirty staircase and to remove a | to Shanghai, and this will account for the rice sine and astive oil is considerable, and the dis- wooden grating which stopped progress at the parity in the combustible properties of the two top. The dea in which the prisoners are cooped commodities is shown by the fact of being able up is divided on by shout wooden bars, and

though less expensive, article. a more quiescent condition than was recently so badly fed, and borded with a crowd of the dirtiest | . here; it at least had a good effect; if even patent, and evidently had for its origin the and most disreputable class of Chinese. The rather late, not too late to get the Emperor to exaggerated reports of agitation then existing promise given by the Taotai that he should not leasun as Edict to H.E. Li, as High Commissioner at other outperts. It is evident that the be chained or tortured in any way appears how. for the Northden, and Tsu as High Commissioner natives required to be ruled with a high hand, ever to have been kept, although on one occasion, for the Southern Prade, to make preparations and when the slightest signs of their becoming as we stated a week or two ago, Si-yang only lagainst any further attacks on foreigners hap. obstreperous are evinced, to be treated with saved himself from more active ill-treatment praint; if so, they will be made responsible. extreme firmness. The resolute action taken by | than he is now receiving by paying a bribe of | Pang Yu Lin leaves to-day, being the tenthone of our Consuls, to prevent the contemplated | \$2 to the runners. The evil which Tsao feels | day of the teath menth, a lucky day according destruction of the Foschow Catholic Chapet, most scutely is, however, the uncertainty of his to the Chinese notions, from Nunking for Canton ontrage recently committed at Tooh-Toong had his present state of suspense, he is in hopes of Yin taze is his civil, and Yang Yiu-ping his the excellent effect of occasioning that amount being taken before the Futai at Sungkiang in a military, lieutenants; to nuclei those Cantonese of fear which is alone able to keep the natives few days; but he has no certainty that he may and investigate the finites of Vicercy Chang. under the aubjection requisite to secure the not be left for months lingering on in his pre-

19th November. Whilst walking through the foreign Sottlement on Sunday (the 18th inst.), I met with ten natives of the Linchin Islands, and with the assistance of a little broken Japanese and a great | yang, though he has not lost all hope of convinct with him; he insists on going to Muangesi, as many signs I gained the following intelligence, ing the Futai that he knows nothing about the appointed by the Emperor. Wa is spoken of by junk that left Jenku, one of the Liuchius, on are made with the object of driving him in des. to Knaug. vi. and, soon after, a total wreck, on which they against him the ill-will not only of all the leafers him. Ma has been appointed Assistant Secretary drifted about for no less than eighteen days, of the settlement, many of whom are quite ready to the Foreign Office at Seoul, as a colleague to until ten of them were taken off by a Chinese to swear away his life, but also of many well- Mr. von Molleadorff. -Mercury Correspondent. and three having died of exposure and starvation. They were landed at Chinhai, where they have been kept prisoners, to all intents sent, however, two or three times to Ningpo to undergo an examination by the Chebsien of that find themselves near the foreign Settlement they

matter to get them away again. They told me they had received several good cumshaws from oreigners here, but these were always stolen from them by their Chiuese guards. The poor follows said with tears in their eyes that they had all wives and families at home who would give them up for lost, and they would soon be able to find their way back it the authorities would only let them go. But it seems that the Chinese will not recognise them as Japanese subjects, and persist in treating them like natives. hope the Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai will see fit to take this matter up promptly.-

N. C. Daily News Correspondent. SHANGHAI.

We understand that Captain Harvey, R.N. the well-known terpedoist, has been engaged at arts of submarine mining and torpedoing. Cantain Harvey is a retired British naval officer. As a punishment for the infringement of the and has considerable experience in blowing up law respecting the use of kerosine oil, three Chilians on the west coast of South America. natives have, during the past week, appeared He will also be remembered for his adventurous assistance, they sounded and found eleven cangued. We understand that, at all events for locean voyage last year of five hundred miles in fathoms of water where the houses formerly

administered for the violation of the edict, and | So many rumours intended to damnify the is intended as a warning to others and one which | Kaiping mines have been circulated of late, that we are glad to loarn that the position and pro-The natives of Fouchow have been so dilatory | spects of the mines are in reality excellent. In as the public tongue makes it out to be. French colonies was, however, still reserved for cepting their harvest. We are pleased, however, average of over 100 tons a day, are sold to the But "it's an ill wind that blaws naebody guid," to learn that the crops already threshed have, up | country people at Tle. Sa ton at the pit's mouth, and a wet, heavy course will probably bring difficult to obtain reliable information. It no. The same law of 1881 established for the present, proved to be of better quality while the seams already being worked are hitherto despised ponies to the front. corred while the steamer was on her way up the colonies the customs dues which were in force in and more prolific, than was generally inexhaustible. Satisfactory progress At last we have some sizus of the impending

on business in Liverpool, as Vice-Consul for the mental nor useful. Le Lun-shen is on his way. ceived a slight wound, but he was well enough to bloud be privileged in the colonies. It was at The ennual exhibit of chrysauthenums by King of Sweden. M. de Lagerheim has accepted to Wu Way-obu, inland from Wuhn, to settle have numbered over 1,000 strong, and that the ressel to Shaughai, us did also the this time, when a succession of bad crops had one of the chief Mandarins, resident at Liu Chu, the nomination, and has, in consequence, sent in up his late period of office with the Commander. they are called pirat s, it is certain there were ohisf mate who was also rather severely handled worked ruin amongst the planters, that the took place on the 11th instant when, we hear, his resignation as engineer to the French Muni- in-Chief Le Yun-mow. in the affray, and is bruised about the body. Senatus Consultum of 4th July, 1866, appeared over one thousand plants were shown. Although | cipality. He will assume his new duties on the

> were illuminated by Chinese lanterns, in great on the 2 th of October, some of the students among the population of Wuchang, to the effect variety, being interspersed; which considerably rushed into the building and tried to get up a that the agents of the secret accidets are activefight. On the 1st instant they sgoin visited the ly at work. It is even suspected once more that fortalght's time more this river can be frozen Although the cold season, which has at last Church and dragged the native teacher into the the Catholic Missionaries have concealed among over, still such has occasionally been the case.set in was expected to be the means of reducing street, where they beat and kicked him in a most them a depot of arms, and are harbouring rethe death rate which has been so excessive due brutal manner and finally threw him into a creek, unions of members of the Water Lily Society in a ring the past four months, we regret to find that Mr. Joseph Hans, the Acting Austro-Hun. vault beneath their property at Wuchang. The sickness continues very prevalent amongst the garian Cousal, was to leave by the Indo-China French Consul, M. Scherzer, has already freed natives. The general impression now appears to | S. N. Co.'s Steamer Nansingon the 22nd inst., on | the Mission from these charges by authorising be that a regular deluge of raid is regulate to a well-earned leave of absence. After travelling the mandarine to visit the Mission and obtaining extirpate the existing fever, and this hears out about Korea and the North, Mr. Hass will visit a proclamation favourable to Christianity: but the theory that enidemies amongst the natives | Shanghai about Christmas on his way home. | the Acting French Consul was obliged to to the only place in the capital where it is possible are not solely attributable to the heat of the cli- Mr. Heas has received abundant proof, by the several times to the mission to calm the spirits to walk without getting smothered in the foulest mate, but to their filthy habit of allowing the addresses presented and the numerous other of the inmates ill-constructed drains both under, and surround. evidences of good will on the part of the commu. A few days agos gunbont arrived hore bringing top of the walls. There, at any rate, one can en.

diderable amount of our josity; not only on account amount to between amillion and a half and two at about noon on the same day, the Wuckgree and be allowed to go."

for which he has received direct from Li Hung- Steamship Company, if they could be sold at all blowing .- Courier Correspondent. would only be disposed of at a heavy discount

fact of the Literati and Elders having received with it, and it is believed that the existence of orders to take the requisite number of Braves | many of them will depend on arrangements being | about to leave, for Newshwang to bring over the within a stipulated period. With this view, ac- made in the meantime, by which a realisation at | 3,000 troops of Wu Taching. They will protive measures are being taken to supply the do- present will be avoided. It is thought probable | bably have to make two journeys to bring over ficiency in the Army which has to be made up that a company which was formed some two the troops. We Ta-ching persists in declining by a subscription amongst the richer classes—or | years ago among the Chinese mainly for the | to remain here with Li Hung-chang, so the what literally speaking, is nothing less than a acquirement of leases will be obliged to suspend, Liang Kuang will have the three leaders P'eng Flug Taontal has already gone to Swatow as Mr. Chu Yu chee is considerably interested | Yu lin, Wu Ta-ching, and Al nival Yang to with the intention of raising such Braves, the in it, There are rumours current among the keep the Cautonese quiet and repulse the Black nutives of the latter port making, it is considered. Chinese of failures of considerable amount among Flogs when driven out of Tonguin by the the finest soldiers. We understand that when the traders in the city and that neighbourhood. French. the requisite number of men have been obtained and it is very likely there is truth in these re. | When Sir Harry Parkes paid his recent visit in Foodbow, and undergone a rough drilling, ports, as we are informed that their losses this to Li Ifing ohang among other things he asked they will be distributed amongst the various year have been heavy, and they find it as difficult if Li would allow him to take with him to Kores to get the banking accommodation to which they Ma Kien-chang, the brother of Ma Kien-chang. We regret having to record the decease of Mr. have been accustomed at the Chinese do who live Li gladly agreed to this; but for some reason

this port, which occurred on Tuesday morning withdrawn from the Shanghai active banks, and chang behind at Chefoe and proceeded without last, the 13th just, after a comparatively brief there is no abatement of the feeling of distrust him, much to the disappointment of the Viceroy. illness. The deceased who was only in his which has been so prevalent for a long time. The officials here draw the conclusion that Sir bring the stulks. There was dissatisfaction last ly in Cochin-China, where we could do so without | twenty-second year, was a rising man, as al. The difficulty which Chinese of standing find, Harry Parkes, like M. Tricon, is more than a year in this business. Whether it will be any inconvenience because we have no reprisals to fear | though young, he had applied himself so stu- and the impossibility which others experience in | match for the Chung-t'ang. diously towards the acquirement of the native procuring banking facilities at the procent time. The repairing of the breaches in the riverlanguage, as to have become a proficient Chinese | contrasts unpleasantly in their eyes with the banks is now going on apace, Li Hung-chang linguist; whilst his amiable and sociable dispo- manner in which they were importanted to her- having undertaken the personal supervision of sition earned for him the esteem of the entire row money without finding security, a little the work, so that it may be done in such a way tricolour with a golden croscent on it. Thus was the signal for much and richly deserved rates. Nothing has been done since the more than a twelve month ago. Last year many that the banks will not easily give way again. neral took place at half-past nine c'clock a.m. Chinese banks were in the habit of sending At Chen-chieh K.ou, 45 ii below here, they have on the 14th inst. the remains of the deceased cheque books to speculators and others, with dur a cannot to let the water flow out of the being followed to the Cemetery by almost the pressing requests that they would oblige by plains into the river. On Sunday night, howentire community, who by attending the sad making free use of them by way of everdraft, ever, when it was high tide at the bar, the water ceremony, paid their last tribute of respect. These banks are now haded with unrealizable case to such a height in the river that it flowed The burish service was conducted by the Roy. or worthless stock.

to use the latter for culinary purposes; whereas I through these bars Teae Si-yang was allowed I his way back, -N. C. Dully News Correspondent. it is hardly safe to even look at the inflammable, I to converse with his visitors. The unfortunate man complained bitterly of the disheartening Since alluding to the several little contretemns | delay which occurred in bringing his case to a between the Chinese and Foreigners, we are head, and of the miseries of his situation, cooped pleased to observe that the former are displaying | up for month after month in that wretched hole. and also further obtaining redress for the position. Feeling that any fate is preferable to with 2,000 clause and 2,000 than troops; Li

sent unhappy condition. Pointing to one of his the Canton affair was got up as a demonstration and asked if he could pay the money, and, on a turn,

junk; two having been drowned meanwhile, known Chinese members of the detect ve force. whose hands are not as clean as they should be. Si-yang expressed himself very grateful for all the visits he received from foreigners, but he and purposes, by the Chinese authorities, being | could not conceal his disappointment that the authorities of the settlement appeared to be doing little or nothing on his behalf. He still redistrict. It seems that whenever the poor men ceives his wages as a servant of the Municipality, and he is promised that the payments shall conwill be well treated, for the Chinese have a hard tinno at least as long as he is in his present position. - Daily News.

CHINKIANG. The following account of an extraordinary

subsidence of the bank of the river Manateze a Chinkiang is given by the Shanghai Courier :-On the left bank of the Yangtsze, opposite the oreign settlement of Chinklang, there stood a long range of white cettages of foreign build. but in a very dilapidated condition; these houses were built by foreigners when the port of Chinkinng was first opened, but the foreign sattlement is now on the right bank, between the city and the river. Besides the range of white cot- her goes Ma Kien chan; and several Koreans, tages, there was a large number of native houses | also a foreign gentleman lately arrived from your on the left bank. A report has just reached place to be attached to the Korean Customs. Shanghai that the bank of the Yangtsze at this News reaches here from Chinese sources that home by Mr. Buchheister, and comes out in the point has subsided, and that 200 houses went Sir Harry Parkes is satisfactorily arranging the Gloneacles, to instruct the Chinese in the useful down with it. The bank must have been under- British and Koroan Treaty on the basis of that mined to a very great extent by the strong our- lately made with Japan, and that H.E. M. rents of the river, for the subsidence was so Tricon arrived and left for Japan in the Volta. complete and appalling that when Customs | -Mercury Correspondent. officers went across the river in boats to render

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stood. It is reported that 200 lives were lost."

Wet, thick, and dirty, miserable weather has

The sudden and almost upprecedented heat is likely to be made soon with the adjacent troubles down south, by the departure of a number of soldiers by the C. N. Co.'s steamer Pekin. icapital there, suffering from bullet wounds | Kennion, Martinique, and Guadeloupe; it was ex. | week, when Fahrenheit's thermometer registered | It is worthy of note that an engine and boiler | which left, last night, On enquiry I find that received at the hands of the chief mate. The tended to Guyane and Senegal by two decrees of as high as 85 , has unfortunately had the effect were shipped on board the Nanzing from the Old the soldiers, numbering 80, are the body-guard of causing the spide mie amongst the natives,- Dock for Korea. This will probably be the first of General Le Lun-shen, of the Yangteze river which was on the decline .- to return with some envine that has ever been sent to that country, police, who was lately in charge at Yoh-chowbeing out of danger when the Paulah left on her sugar producers and other planters in the colonies. Virulence. It is to be hoped, that the marked | The Swedish Government has sent a telegram foo. The soldiers are fige, robust men, but I downward trip, while the other man is said to be They contended that, their products no longer change in the weather during the past few days, to M. O. de Lagerheim, of this place, offering cannot speak favourably of arms-old rusty

last, thereby giving us some hopes of paper grown at the former place were considered un- tions at Tungchow, the students conducted The Ewo register to-day showed 37 feet 11 in.

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lin, who has come with the object of enrolling tant bills. Lest, bowever, foreigners should be

12th November.

During the past two days quite a number of departure for Korea to have them sealed my the first break in the river near the Lock on the placed birds, are already making it oplies have been known for some time, has placed wessels have been known for some time, has placed wessels have been known for some time, has placed wessels have been known for some time, has placed wessels have been known for some time, has placed wessels have been known for some time, has placed wessels have been known for some time. establing the bands of describing on the little in the hands of bla of distribute of drawing for water to orose. On the morning but will no doubt be taken up apon the Minister in the hands of bla of distribute of drawing for water to orose. On the morning but will no doubt be taken up apon the Minister in the hands of bla of distribute of drawing for water to orose. On the morning but will no doubt be taken up apon the Minister in the hands of bla of distribute of drawing for water to orose. the part of Bhankauk. The waters came expenses which are but covered by the annual The fact of Jones of the 10th the Tehein and Hacan managed to ter's return. There are limits beyond which the El. " on did not nome off; the Major's consolatory from the Another has nathrally excited a con-thing as stepping payment. His Habilities ores the ber and proceeded up river to Tientein; I insolence of even Chinese mandarine should not

but also to the present aspect China is assuming | curities are held. These securities are of the Shanghal, but they could not cross the bar. On with the view to meet contingencies. Perhaps | most miscellaneous nature, comprising lots of kind | the following day: the 11th, the El Dorado aralso the Goneral's only natural roticouce cons inside and outside the Settlement, on some of rived from Clentsin and was obliged to anchor been unjusty condemned,) has been the means of | many are vacant lots, and shares in mining com. | water on it; on the following morning, f'to 12th, onhancing such excitement, and encouraging panies of all kinds, manufactures, speculative the water became to rise and at noon the Wachang. the propagation of idle canards. We are, how- house property converse, -in fact in almost all El Dorado, Paulah, and Fungshan, crossed the General Mosny is enlisting soldiers, or otherwise here last year. Many of these have little, and king, and Newskingars outside and will perhaps reinforcing the native troops, as his visit is purely some have no value; others, such as the Kai, cross the bar to day. For the past three days

The Paochi has just left, and the Yuhsin is

Lionel W. Henley of H.M. Consular Service at | in the Settlements. Country deposits are being | best known to himself, Sir Harry left Ma Kien-

back along the canal, and added another five Our reporter had an interview the other day fast to the depth of water on the plains. The

120. Saveral orders for shares have been sent

Mr. Toug King-sing has been telegraphed for, and I hear on good authority that he is now on 9th November.

Great excitement has prevailed here, amongst foreigners and Chinese about a telegram received. iere by the Chinese that a British gamboat has fired into Canton; how far tray is a . . .

Some gossipers here goes as far as to say that follow prisoners he stated that the poor wretch to show the Hame Press what the sentiments of had been cooped up for five months for non- the Chinese were against Erance's interference paymout of a debt of \$30, and that regularly with Tonquin and Anusm, but they never exonce a month he was taken before the magistrate peoted that the demonstration would take each replying that he could not, was sentenced to one | Wu Ta-ching, it is said, yesterday again reor two handred blows with the bamboo. Si: fused Li Hang-chang's proposals to stop here

death of the man whom he is accused of killing, the Chinese as a very able official; and that he The men form part of the crew of a trading- feels very despondent. He feels that the delays is sufficiently proved by his preference for going peration to confess to a mur ler which he did not | It is said that M. Tricon has arrived at Scoul the very next day, their beat became waterlogged, commit, and he knows that he has arrayed and that Ma Kien-chung has gone over with

Yesterday the Imperial Edict which appoints Wn Ta-ching, as Assistant Commissioner of Foreign Trade, Assistant Governor-General of

Chibli and High Commissioner of Army and Navy of the North was published. To-day H.E. We Ta-ching entered on his duties and received several of the Commandorsin-chief; some of thom, it is said, got a talking. to from H.E. Wu. So also did Admiral Ting. because Ting did not know the movements of the various vessels in his command, and whereabouts

each was at the time, so that our Chinese friends already give Wu the name of Li Hai. Yesterday Mr. A. Shimamuna, H.I.J.M. Consul at Tientsin, has been appointed as Chargé d'Affaires to Seoul, whouce he is to proceed at once. Since his appointment last year as Acting Vice-Consul, Mr. Shimamura has been promoted to Vice-Consul, Acting Consul, and now to this appointment, which is a proof that he has given the highest satisfaction to his Government. It is said that H.I.C.M. gunboat Mei Yuen leaves, on the 14th inst., Chefoo for Korea; in

NEWCHWANG. 7th November. Oar open season is now rapidly drawing to a close, and wild geese and ducks becoming scarce, having migrated to warmer climes. With our shipping the reverse is the case, every day in the last week having seen 4 or 5 vessels, steamers and sailing ships arriving, and our harbour shows well up with forty-three sail of all descriptions

except a man-of-war. The native merchants complain bitterly; produce is scarce and daily rising in price, so they have rest difficulty in loading vessels to their consign. ments. The low freights in the south induced several vessels to come seeking here, and at prewent we have no less than seven of thom, and not an offer for any of them for the lest three weeks. and I am afraid most of them will have to leave in ballast again or accept very low rates. To-day the steamer Hasan arrived from Tientain to take a thousand braves away to Taku: It was first reported that the Hacan should go up to Tingsung Tai, a large village about 20 miles higher up the river, to embark the soldiers there. but the difficult navigation must have altered the programme, as she went alongside the Tavtai's new pier, which is now nearly fluished. Two more of the C.M.S.N. Co.'s steamers are reported due here in a few days to take another 2,000 troops away to Taku. The lightship has received orders to leave on the 20th instant for Shanghai to relieve one of the lightships there while repairing. The weather is at present very mild, and it seems almost impossible that in a Shanghai Mercury Correspondent.

PEKING.

The N. C. Daily News says :- " The Yamen

authorities are again becoming disagreeable at Peking. Our readers are perhaps aware that dust and sickened with the filthiest smells is the walls have all been carefully looked, and sealed afresh with crossed slips of paper. This is bad enough, but it is not the worst of the affront. opposed to the views of the authorities. The Ministors of the Yamen replied that they were not zware the gates were open to visitors, and immediately took advantage of Sir Harry Parker's